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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER.
Increasing cloudiness to-day; rain or snow to-night; colder, with snow to-morrow; northeast winds.

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INSURGENTS PLAN CANNON'S DOWNFALL

Say Inquiry Shows Voters Will Not Re-elect Men Who Stand by Him.

CALL CANNONISM THE ISSUE

Declare Failure to Show His Power Is Broken Will Mean Democratic Speaker for Next House.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Expectation that the opening of the Congress session would bring the explosion of some sort of an insurgent bomb under the chair of Speaker Cannon was disappointed, but it developed in the course of the day that it was not for lack of bombs that no explosion took place, but only because the insurgent bomb makers did not deem the first day an advantageous time for their demonstration.

There is no question that the Republican insurgents in the House are much encouraged in their campaign against the Speaker. The character of the speeches which Mr. Cannon has been making in the last few weeks, and especially his determined effort to line the insurgents up as supporters of Bryan are taken by all of them as certain indications of the Speaker's realization of the desperate nature of his situation in the party. So that instead of being disheartened by his assaults they are actually stimulated to further efforts.

There has been no general meeting of the insurgents yet, and none has been arranged. But it is probable that such a meeting will be held in a few days and a full exchange of ideas will take place. At the same time reports will be made regarding the line of investigation that has been carried on by some of the Western insurgents during the recess of Congress. It is suspected that this work did not entirely escape the notice and atention of the Speaker, and that fact may account for some bitterness displayed in his recent speeches.

The work in question was nothing more or less than a systematic effort to get at the sentiment of the Republican voters in a number of Congressional districts now represented by supporters of the Speaker. The canvass was carried on as quietly as possible, but it is not improbable that friends of the Speaker became aware of it, as any inquiry as to the attitude of voters toward Mr. Cannon must have reached men in sympathy with him if it was to be at all trustworthy and thorough.

Three to One Against Cannon.

In any case, the results of the canvass were neither surprising nor disappointing to the insurgents who were making it. They found that in a considerable number of districts now held by regulars the voters are substantially against the Speaker. In some districts the proportion of anti-Cannon men was 3 to 1.

The districts investigated were generally in the Middle West, a number of them being in the Speaker's own State. In some districts the result showed that although the anti-Cannon feeling was growing, it had not yet reached the point where it would force a change next year. But there is a large number of Republican districts in which the majority of Republican voters have announced their opposition to Cannon and where, according to this insurgent information, the present members of the House will have to declare emphatically against the re-election of Cannon as Speaker in order to secure renomination next year.

In such districts men who will not come out against the Speaker will be set aside for new men who will declare themselves. There are some districts also the information from which is that the sentiment against Cannon is so strong and so involves his present supporters that even though these men should be willing to declare themselves against his re-election as Speaker it would not give them renomination.

On the strength of this information the insurgents who have been making the canvass or are aware of its results are feeling very happy, and are confident of the defeat of Cannon for the Speakership in the Sixty-second House. They say frankly, however, that if they cannot demonstrate by the time the nominations are all made next year that the majority of the Republican nominees are against Cannon there will be nothing which can save the House to the Republicans, and that it will be a Democrat who will be elected Speaker for the Sixty-second House.

There is a general impression among the insurgents, despite the recent vigorous denials by Mr. Cannon of any such intention on his part, that the Speaker will declare before this session is over that he will not under any circumstances be a candidate for Speaker again.

Must Eliminate Cannon.

Some of the insurgents who have just come back from their districts are not satisfied that such declaration by Speaker Cannon will save the House to the Republicans. They say that it would not be believed by a great many anti-Cannon men throughout the country, and that it would not prevent numbers of Republicans from voting for Democratic nominees for Congress.

The only thing in their judgment which will surely save the House for the Republicans is the complete elimination of the Speaker, and for that reason some of them say they expect to see Mr. Cannon resign the Speakership at the close of this session and declare himself out of the Congressional game.

In this regard these insurgents do not agree with Victor Murdock of Kansas, who is the original insurgent, and who now thinks that a declaration by Mr. Cannon that he will not again seek the Speakership will be sufficient to hold the party in line at next year's elections.

But however that may be, it is evident from the line of work done by the insurgent investigators during the recess of Congress and the results obtained from it, that the sentiment against Cannon is growing throughout the country, and that his retention of the Speakership will make Cannonism the vital issue of the Congressional elections next year. With that the chief issue the Democrats will have a better chance to control the next house than they have had in any election for a good many years.

Queen Receives Ambassador Leishman

ROME, Dec. 6.—The Queen received John G. A. Leishman, the new American Ambassador to Italy, for the first time to-day. She conversed with him for some time on his sojourn in Constantinople as Minister to Turkey, and showed great interest in the American Embassy.

GIRL DEAD IN A CISTERN.

Marguerite Dauerty Drowned Herself While Insane from Worry.

Special to The New York Times.

FISHKILL LANDING, N. Y., Dec. 6.—The body of Miss Marguerite Dauerty, daughter of the Rev. William H. Dauerty of the Presbyterian church at Hughsonville, was found to-day in a cistern in the yard at the rear of her home. Miss Dauerty, who disappeared yesterday, was a student at Vassar. It is thought that she committed suicide while temporarily insane from worry over her studies.

The girl left the house when her mother stepped upstairs to put on her hat, preparatory to going out with hr. When she failed to return Mrs. Dauerty became alarmed and sent out a call for help. About 300 persons began a search, which was kept up until the body was found this afternoon. The country for ten miles around was covered.

Bloodhounds put on the girl's trail led one party of searchers down the road toward Fishkill Landing for half a mile, and then turned to the left into a road leading to Fishkill village. The dogs went on up this road a mile or more and then stopped short, as if the girl had entered a wagon. It is believed that, having determined on suicide, the girl started out to choose a place for her act. Having reached the spot where the dogs lost the scent, it is believed that she retraced her steps, returned to the woods near to her home, and watched her chance to slip back unobserved into the rear yard.

Having reached the cistern and removed the wooden covering, she crawled into the cistern, apparently, and covered it after her, for the cover was not displaced.

To strengthen the theory of the girl's suicide, neighbors say they saw the girl leave the yard of her home and start down the road. Other neighbors, living further away, say they saw her as she was passing their homes.

Miss Dauerty was of a highly nervous temperament, and for this reason had difficulty with her studies at Vassar, where she was a first-year student. Her health became impaired, and her parents brought her home for a rest a few weeks ago. This interruption in her college work was a blow to her, over which she brooded. Miss Dauerty was 19 years old. Her father had given up a church in New Jersey and accepted a minor one at the small town of Hughsonville, in order that his daughter might be near Vassar College.

RACE TO CATCH LUSITANIA.

Special Rushing Samuel Newhouse Here to Reach Dying Brother in Paris.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 6.—On the way to the bedside of his brother, Mott Newhouse, who is dying in Paris, Samuel Newhouse, wealthy mine owner of Salt Lake City, is hurrying by special train with the right of way over the Lake Shore and New York Central from this city to New York, and there is a possibility that all existing railway records between New York and Chicago—a few minutes more than sixteen hours—will be broken, though the schedule figured upon is seventeen hours.

Because of storms in the Rocky Mountains Mr. Newhouse missed the Twentieth Century Limited by five and one-half hours, and fearing he might miss the Lusitania, which sails from New York Wednesday morning, he ordered a special train, Chicago to New York, by wire.

It was about 10 o'clock Saturday morning when Mr. Newhouse, in the office building which bears his name in Salt Lake City, received a cablegram from Paris stating that his brother Mott, London agent for his gold and copper mining interests abroad, was dying, and that he must start at once if he would see him alive. Mott Newhouse has been blind for more than a year, and recently has been seized with a lingering illness, supposed to be a tuberculary trouble, of which a still younger brother died in Denver three years ago.

Mr. Newhouse caught the Los Angeles Limited, which left Salt Lake City soon afterward over the Union Pacific and Northwest lines, which, after entering Wyoming ran into the blizzard and steadily lost time.

NEW HAVEN BANK LOSS BIG.

Thefts of Treasurer, Who Is Back from Europe, May Reach $150,000.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 6.—The loss to the People's Savings Bank and Trust Company through the embezzlement of Robert D. Muir, the bank's Treasurer, is much severer, it was learned to-day, than was at first believed. The State Board of Bank Examiners took charge of the investigation to-day, and reported that they had found that large sums, which had been believed to be intact, are missing. It is known that securities are missing which amount to more than $118,000, and one of the Directors of the bank said late to-night that indications are that the defalcation reached $150,000.

The capital stock of the bank is only $100,000, and the blow which it faces is a staggering one.

With the return to town to-day of Muir it was learned that a month ago he fled to Europe. He was traced by Ernest Lisbell, one of the bank's Directors, and induced to return to this country. He reached New York last week. Muir admits heavy losses of the bank's funds through speculation. He says that he cleared $30,000 in stock operations in the brokerage plant of James B. Smith of this city. He went to Smith's place to-day to claim the sum, and it was found that Smith had vanished.

Muir was placed under arrest to-night on a city attorney's writ, which charges him with embezzling funds of the bank amounting to $30,000. He is held under $10,000 bail, which he has been unable to obtain.

CHINA'S PROTEST RECEIVED.

State Department Gets Long Statement of Case Against Russia.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The State Department has received a long circular note from the Chinese Government restating the principles involved in the Harbin situation and invoking the agreement of 1896 between China and the Russo-Chinese Bank, creating the Chinese Eastern Railway, to show that the Russian rights recognized therein were only such as were natural and necessary to its business management and that no political rights were thus transferred to Russia. China protests that the exercise of rights of administration at Harbin and along the Chinese Eastern Railway is also a violation of the principles of the treaty of Portsmouth.

The Russians, under an agreement entered into at St. Petersburg with Li Hung Chang, the Chinese envoy at the coronation of Emperor Nicholas, claim not only exclusive jurisdiction over the Eastern Siberian road but they also claim legislative authority over the citizens of the towns along this road to the exclusion of Chinese authority.

The United States has heretofore protested against these claims on the part of Russia on the ground that they involve Chinese sovereignty in these cities and towns, notably Harbin.

Once wear a Krementz one-piece collar button, you'll always wear it; it never breaks.—Adv.

BUSINESS BUILDING NEAR MORGAN HOME

Referee Reports Against Injunction to Keep an Office Structure from Going Up.

AN OLD AGREEMENT BROKEN

In 1847 Residents of the Ward Agreed to Preserve It for Residences Only.

The legal fight of J. Pierpont Morgan, J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., Charles Lanier, John E. Parsons, Maria De Witt Jesup, the City Real Estate Company, and Sarah C. Goodhue to preserve the old Eighteenth Ward as an exclusive residence section received a setback yesterday when Charles F. Brown, referee, filed with the County Clerk an adverse report on their application for a permanent injunction restraining Margaret E. S. Cameron from erecting a sixteen-story skeleton steel building for office purposes on the two lots at the northeast corner of Madison Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street.

Mrs. Goodhue brought her action separately from the other plaintiffs. In her complaint she said that she had offered to pay $600,000, three times what Mrs. Cameron paid for the property, to preserve the residential character of the neighborhood.

Proceedings taken by Mrs. Goodhue were based on an agreement between the residents of what was formerly the Eighteenth Ward, made Feb. 20, 1847, which bound all the lot owners on both sides of Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, Thirty-sixth, and Thirty-seventh Streets, and on the south side of Thirty-eighth Street, between Madison and Lexington Avenues, and on the east side of Madison Avenue and the west side of Lexington Avenue, from Thirty-fourth to Thirty-eighth Street, to erect "only brick and stone dwelling houses of at least two stories." The property owners bound themselves not to erect any "livery stables, distilleries, breweries, tanneries, menageries, glue works, foundries, or factories for the manufacture of gunpowder, vitriol," and other substances enumerated.

It was complained that Mrs. Cameron caused to be torn down the two dwelling houses which were on her lots and filed plans for an office building, notwithstanding that the plaintiffs in the action had notified her that the erection of such a building was contrary to the agreement of 1847.

Mrs. Cameron contended that she was ignorant of the agreement and that it did not bind her. She invited suit to test her rights. The action was not brought until the first story of the new building had been erected. Property owners in the neighborhood then banded together and retained Carter, Ledyard & Milburn to get an injunction. While the case was pending the building was completed.

Referee Brown dismissed the application for an injunction on the ground that the character of the neighborhood had so changed since 1847 that an injunction would be of no value to the plaintiffs and would work an injury to the defendant. He dismissed the application, however, without prejudice to the rights of the plaintiffs to seek damages at law for breach of contract.

In his report he cites the numerous changes which have taken place since 1847. Many of the old residents have moved away and their dwellings have been given over to business uses. Referee Brown is of the opinion that the enhanced value of the plaintiffs' property for business purposes by reason of the erection of Mrs. Cameron's building will offset any damage which may have been done to it as residence property.

FEARS ATTACK ON TROOPS.

Gov. Harmon Hears That Strikers May Fire on Militia.

CHARLESTON, West Va., Dec. 6.—In a telegram to Gov. Glasscock Gov. Harmon of Ohio to-night says that he has been informed that some of the steel mill strikers and strike sympathizers at Bridgeport, Ohio, have planned to congregate on Upper Wheeling Island, on the West Virginia side of the Ohio River, and open fire on the Ohio militia now stationed at Bridgeport.

Gov. Glasscock took up the report with Sheriff William Clemens of Wheeling, who started an investigation. The commanding officers of the First and Second Infantry, West Virginia National Guard, were ordered to be ready to move on short notice.

Adjt. Gen. Burlew to-day granted permission for Ohio troops to travel on the West Virginia side of the river when convenient in going to and from Bridgeport.

BRIDGEPORT, Ohio, Dec. 6.—There were no disorders to-day in the strike zone of the Aetna-Standard mills of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company. The plants did not resume operations, as it was reported they would.

The Ohio National Guard, numbering 1,500 troops, is scattered throughout the trouble district. Strike pickets were thrown around the mills and have succeeded up to the present in peaceably keeping workmen from entering the plant.

Officials of the company believed the protection afforded by the guardsmen would result in many men returning to work to-day. However this was not the case. It is said, in the event the men do not resume their positions by to-morrow evening, strikebreakers will be brought in.

CAROLINE HARRIMAN HURT.

Bone in Her Foot Broken in Game and Now She Uses a Crutch.

Miss Caroline Harriman, the youngest daughter of the late Edward H. Harriman, is suffering from a painful injury to her right foot. She was hurt at a game of handball which was played recently at the Harriman hilltop home at Arden, N. Y. Although a bone was broken and the young woman has been under the doctor's care, few, if any, of Miss Harriman's friends knew of the accident until she arrived in this city yesterday using a crutch.

The fracture, while painful, is said to be healing fast, and within a week or so Miss Harriman will be able to resume the out-of-door sports.

Accompanying Miss Harriman was her mother, Mrs. Mary Averill Harriman, who will remain in town for several days on business connected with the Harriman interests.

During her stay here Mrs. Harriman will also complete the arrangements for her offices at 475 Fifth Avenue. She signed a lease in October that she might have a place in which to attend to her business affairs.

The Christmas Number of The New York Times will be published next Sunday. It will contain many remarkably interesting features and superb illustrations. Orders for this issue should be placed early.

DANES' FAITH IN COOK REMAINS UNSHAKEN

People Will Be Amazed If University Decides Against His North Pole Claim.

RECORDS DUE WEDNESDAY

Committee to be Named To-day to Examine Data Lounsdale Is Bringing on the United States.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 6.—The steamer United States, carrying Dr. Cook's fortunes in the keeping of his secretary, Walter Lounsdale, will not reach here till Wednesday. She is now discharging cargo at Christiania. Copenhagen is neither exhilarated nor depressed by the delay. Its confidence in Cook is of that sublime variety which takes delay with patience and attacks on Cook's good faith in connection with Mount McKinley with fortitude.

I arrived here early this morning and during the day gathered impressions which may be summarized as follows: Cook's reputation stands just as high to-day as it did when the Danes welcomed him enthusiastically on his return from Greenland. Barrill's and Parker's charges are not unknown, but their statements have been printed very briefly and unimpressively, and generally accompanied by sarcastic comment. As regards Prof. Parker, for instance, it is questioned whether he ever made the statements attributed to him.

"For," I was told, "it is incredible that a man like Parker should have permitted Cook's claims to remain uncontradicted for years."

There has been no popular interest in the discussion of Cook's claim, and doubts cast upon him are considered merely the outcome of a personal controversy with Peary, about whom the Danes have taken their cue from Sverdrup. Popular opinion will receive a genuine shock if the university finds against Cook.

The university will nominate to-morrow a committee to examine the documents Mr. Lounsdale is bringing on the United States. Its composition has not yet been definitely determined.

Dr. Cook's Danish supporters are in error in assuming that it was only recently that Prof. Parker expressed disbelief in the former's claim that he had scaled Mount McKinley. As soon as Dr. Cook announced his alleged feat, Prof. Parker stated publicly that it was impossible for the explorer to accomplish alone what he and Dr. Cook had jointly attempted in vain. Dr. Cook replied that he had not made the ascent on the side of the mountain which had been found impracticable by the expedition, but had worked around to another side and there made the climb.

When Dr. Cook came out of Greenland last September and announced that he had reached the north pole the controversy over his Mount McKinley feat was revived, and Prof. Parker's original criticism was republished and amplified in the light of additional information. Owing to the much greater public interest in the north pole affair than in the Mount McKinley feat at the time of its announcement, these statements were cabled to Denmark, probably for the first time, and thus gave the impression that Prof. Parker had kept silence until recently.

ENGINEER ASLEEP IN CAB.

After New Haven Wreck Says He Had Little Rest for Fifty-nine Hours.

Special to The New York Times.

CLINTON, Conn., Dec. 6.—An express from Boston for New York ran past a danger signal set against it here this morning and plunged into a freight train. George Camp, the engineer, was reported to have been asleep in his cab at the time of the wreck. He denies this, but admits that he was asleep just before that time. He said he had had but little rest since Friday afternoon.

The freight was taking a siding to get out of the way of the express when the accident occurred. The passenger train, which is made up largely of sleeping cars, was traveling at the rate of nearly a mile a minute when it struck the freight. It cut a path diagonally through the freight, crushing five cars to bits. William E. Hall, fireman of the express, was pitched headlong through the cab window. He was only slightly injured. The tracks of the Shore Line Divison, on which the accident occurred, were blocked for six hours.

None of the passengers were injured seriously. S. G. Whittaker of New Bedford, Mass., was cut, and W. J. McDavitt, a lawyer, of 115 Broadway, New York, was bruised.

Engineer Camp says that he had but four or five hours' rest between Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock and the time of the wreck, fifty-nine hours later. Camp runs to Shelburne Falls twice a week, and during the rest of the week is an extra man.

A statement was given out at the offices of the New Haven Road to-night declaring that Camp was asleep when the accident occurred, but that it was not true that he had not slept for forty-eight hours, as was said at first. A request for a statement of his assignments for the last forty-eight hours was refused.

Coldest in 32 Years at Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Dec., 6.—Yesterday was the coldest day in Los Angeles in thirty-two years. The temperature fell to 41 degrees. In many places owners of orchards fought frost with smudge fires.

BLACK HAND SENDS MANY RECRUITS HERE

Italian Agents in Switzerland Swear New Members to Obey Orders of Life or Death.

ARRESTS DISCLOSE SYSTEM

New York Police Headquarters Says Procedure Is Common and Fresh Blackmailers Arrive Every Week.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

GENEVA, Dec. 6.—The arrest here to-day of an Italian Black Hand leader and seven subordinates reveals a plan for recruiting the strength of that society in America. Although the ringleaders have been in Switzerland only three weeks, forty Italians have been sent from here to America in small bands from various European ports. These members, according to documents discovered by the Swiss police, have signed agreements to carry out "any order of life or death" given by the leaders.

The forty had their passage paid, with money enough to keep them until they find work in New York. The ringleaders were sent especially from Italy to recruit the strength of the American branch of the Black Hand society from the 2,000 Italians employed on the Lötschberg Tunnel.

It was said at Police Headquarters last night that no report had been received from the Swiss police as to the arrest of Italian Black Hand leaders who were recruiting the strength of the society in the United States.

The Lieutenant in charge added that the practice of recruiting the ranks of the Black Hand Society in the United States from Italian laborers abroad and of giving them sufficient funds to live in New York until they had secured work, was common and that such Italians entered the country every week.

FIND DRAYTON UNCONSCIOUS.

Supposed Son of J. Coleman Drayton Won't Tell How He Was Hurt.

A young man who said he was William Drayton, 21 years old, a student, and who gave as his address the home of J. Coleman Drayton, was found unconscious last night on the sidewalk in front of 48 West Fifty-second Street by Policeman Harris of the East Fifty-first Street Police Station.

The policeman saw the young man's face and hands were covered with blood and he called an ambulance from Flower Hospital. Dr. Lockwood responded and succeeded in restoring Drayton to consciousness. Although there was much blood on his face and hands the young man's injuries were limited to a few bruises and a slight cut on the face. He declined to tell how he received his injuries and would make no statement other than that in which he gave his name and his address as 56 East Seventy-ninth Street, the home of J. Coleman Drayton. J. Coleman Drayton has a son, William A. Drayton.

He was removed to Flower Hospital in the ambulance, and after being treated there left in an automobile in which a friend, who would not give his name, arrived after a message had been sent from the hospital. The injured man would not tell whether or not he was related to J. Coleman Drayton.

J. Coleman Drayton is President of the Lacto-Bacilline Company of 124 West Thirty-first Street. He is Director in many other concerns.

TAFT HAS A COLD.

Bad Chimney Blamed—President Due Here for Methodist Jubilee Dec. 13.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Visitors to the White House to-day found President Taft suffering from a cold which he contracted Saturday or Sunday. The chimneys in the President's room at the new executive offices have been drawing very badly of late, and as wood fires have been depended upon for heat during the mild weather of the last ten days, some people are inclined to attribute the President's cold to the chimneys. Secretary Carpenter also has a cold.

Mr. Taft will leave Washington next Monday morning, Dec. 13, for New York, where in the evening he will make the principal address at the closing meeting of the Diamond Jubilee of the Methodist Episcopal Church Mission in Africa. This jubilee celebration was opened a year ago in Washington with an address by President Roosevelt. Before speaking at Carnegie Hall, President Taft will dine with the Rev. John Wesley Hill at the latter's home.

After spending the night in New York at the home of his brother, Henry W. Taft, the President will go to New Haven, Conn., the morning of the 14th, to attend a meeting of the Yale Corporatio, of which he is a Fellow. There will be a banquet in New Haven Tuesday night, and leaving there at midnight the President will return to Washington during the forenoon of Wednesday, the 15th instant.

Mrs. Taft and her sister, Mrs. Laughlin, will accompany the President to New York.

NEW SOIL FOR OLD TRINITY.

Black Earth from New Jersey Being Used to Rejuvenate the Churchyard.

Trinity Churchyard, at the head of Wall Street, has undergone a marked change in the last few days. Laborers and gardeners have been busy covering all grassy surfaces and plots with several inches of black soil, afterward carefully spading the ground. These operations are carried out under the eye of Samuel Parsons, the landscape architect, in the hope of rejuvenating the soil of the old churchyard.

This black earth, or humus, comes from near Hackettstown, N. J., from what was formerly the bed of a large lake. The waters were drained away twenty-five or thirty years ago, and the sail was given over to market gardening. It is now thoroughly decomposed, and has been found to be a valuable addition to the exhausted soils found in the city parks.

Owing to the fact that the churchyard is surrounded on all sides by high buildings, while the yard itself is honeycombed with vaults, very little vegetation flourishes. The Oriental plane tree is practically the only one that will grow there.

DEWEY'S SAUTERNE OR MOSELLE.
Elegant White Table Wines.
H. T. Dewey & Sons Co., 138 Fulton St., New York—Adv.

CZARINA GRAVELY ILL.

Members of Family Summoned—Long a Victim of Melancholia.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROME, Dec. 6. — The Tribuna announces that the Czarina is seriously ill at Livadia, and has had several grave attacks from which recovery has been difficult. The Czar is with the Czarina, and several members of the imperial family at St. Petersburg have received an urgent summons to Livadia.

For several years the Czarina has been a prey to melancholia and morbid fears for her personal security.

NEW SULTAN CLAIMS GEMS.

Deposits $300,000 While He Hunts for Pawn Tickets—Sale Postponed.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—The expected sale of the jewels of the former Sultan of Morocco, Abd-el Aziz, was prevented today by the intervention of a representative of the present Sultan, demanding delay in order to effect their redemption. He was provided with a check for $300,000, and alleged that the documentary evidence of ownership or, in common language, the pawn tickets, had been mislaid and that the tyrant of Fez wanted time to hunt them up.

Resistance to this demand was made by the pawnbrokers, but an adjournment of one month was finally ordered upon a deposit being made of the $300,000 by the Sultan's agent to cover any consequent loss.

A great number of jewelers had come from foreign countries to be present at the sale.

BRAGANZA SUED FOR MILLION.

Creditors Allege Agreement to Pay Them One-fifth of Dowry.

BUDAPEST, Dec. 6.—According to the newspaper Hirlap a syndicate of creditors is suing Prince Miguel of Braganza, who married Miss Anita Stewart of New York at Tullock Castle, Dingwall, Scotland, on Sept. 15 last, for $1,000,000.

Some years ago, the paper says, Prince Miguel was in financial difficulties and the syndicate advanced him a large sum, payable when he should make a rich marriage. The claim is set up that, following negotiations which resulted in his marriage to Miss Anita Stewart, the Prince promised to recoup the syndicate with one-fifth of the dowry, which was $5,000,000.

Now Prince Miguel declines to pay anything beyond the amount borrowed.

RAINES'S CONDITION CRITICAL.

Senator to be Operated Upon for Tumor in His Abdomen.

CANANDAIGUA, N. Y., Dec. 6.—The condition of Senator Raines has again become critical. It was learned here to-night that a tumor has developed in his abdomen, which will necessitate an operation.

Accordingly the Senator will be brought from his Lake Shore cottage to-morrow to the Memorial Hospital here.

ROOSEVELT COMING IN JUNE.

Sends Word to Washington That He Is in Best of Health.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Word has been received here from ex-President Roosevelt that he and his son Kermit are in the best of health, and spirits and that they expect to return to the United States some time next June.

Mrs. Roosevelt will leave here early in February to meet them at Khartoum about the middle of March. They will proceed to Europe, where the ex-President will deliver addresses in Berlin, Paris, and London, sailing for New York early in June.

HELD UP IN DAYLIGHT.

Rosenthal Robbed of $1,915 on His Way from the Bank.

While returning from the bank yesterday afternoon Henry Rosenthal of the Rosenthal Manufacturing Company in the Fischer Building, 103 East Houston Street, was held up at the corner of Stanton Street and Bowery and robbed of $1,915 in cash which he had drawn to pay the employes of the firm.

Detective Blaha of the First District Branch Detective Bureau arrested Charles De Vito, 17 years old, of 26 Carmine Street, an errand boy in the employ of the Rosenthal Manufacturing Company, who had accompanied Mr. Rosenthal to the bank and was present when he was robbed. De Vito did not make any attempt to protect his employer, which was regarded as a suspicious circumstance.

ANNOYED THEATREGOERS.

Eleven Youths Arrested at the Knickerbocker and Maxine Elliott's.

Detectives Lynch and Nugent of the West Thirtieth Street Station last night arrested eleven youths in the vicinity of the Knickerbocker Theatre and Maxine Elliott's Theatre, upon the charge of disorderly conduct.

Complaints had been received at the station from patrons of the theatres that youths approached them when entering and leaving the playhouses and annoyed them in efforts to get tips. Sometimes the young men would ask to be allowed to call a cab and would insist in spite of all attempts to get rid of them.

FOR McCARREN'S SUCCESSOR.

Democrats Name T. C. Harden at a "Hurry-Up" Convention.

Thomas C. Harden was nominated last evening by the Democratic organization of the Seventh Senatorial District, Brooklyn, for Senator to serve out the unexpired term of the late Patrick H. McCarren. The convention, which followed the primaries of the afternoon, was held in the Seymour Club at 163 Bedford Avenue.

Following the primaries there was much parading and fireworks. One big parade was led by Daniel J. Carroll, son of an old lieutenant of McCarren. The parade arrived at the convention hall shortly before 9 o'clock last night, the hour set for the convention, to find that the hour had been quietly advanced and the nomination already made.

John J. Clancy has already been nominated for the office by the Independence League. John McCratee has been named by the Republicans. The election will be held on Dec. 21.

GREAT BEAR SPRING WATER.
"Its Purity has made it famous."—Adv.

'LOANS' KEPT PHENIX FIRE CO. FROM INQUIRY

State Superintendent Says Insurance Concern Put Out $250,000 Among His Predecessors.

$60,000 TO R. H. HUNTER

$100,000 to Vanderpoel, $39,500 to James F. Pierce, and $61,000 to a Deputy.

JEROME IS ASKED TO ACT

George P. Sheldon, President of the Company, Ousted as the Report Comes Out.

MILLION ASSETS IN DOUBT

An Annual "Wash Sale" Resorted to by the Company to Conceal Its Real Condition.

Disclosures of a highly sensational nature involving the integrity of several former State Insurance Department officials and charging George P. Sheldon, until yesterday President of the Phenix Fire Insurance Company of Brooklyn with having evaded an investigation of the company for twenty-two years, as well as having speculated with funds of the company, were made yesterday by William H. Hotchkiss, Superintendent of the State Insurance Department.

Mr. Hotchkiss charges that four former officials of the State Insurance Department borrowed sums aggregating about $250,000 from the Phenix company and leaves the inference that the startling condition of affairs in the company was kept hidden for many years by means of the loans.

The State Superintendent, who was appointed less than a year ago by Gov. Hughes as a successor to Otto Kelsey, has called upon District Attorney Jerome to act on the disclosures made by the department's men, who, ever since October, have been looking into the affairs of the Phenix Company, one of the leading fire insurance companies doing business here.

Supt. Hotchkiss, in a statement made late yesterday afternoon following the ousting of Mr. Sheldon from the Presidency of the Phenix, says that the company for many years has been a one-man institution, that absolute power was vested in Mr. Sheldon, and that the funds of the company have been loaned by him both to himself and to others to an alarming extent.

He charges that for the last ten years at least, and probably longer, the annual reports made to the New York Insurance Department by the company have been false in many particulars.

An Annual "Wash Sale."

The Superintendent also charges that certain of the company's assets, which were sold to the concern by Mr. Sheldon, were carried through what is known as a "wash sale" at the end of each year, in order that other securities of far greater value could be made to appear in the annual reports of the company. Mr. Hotchkiss charges Mr. Sheldon with having maintained for several years a speculative margin account with at least one brokerage house in the company's name.

Mr. Sheldon is accused also of having used the assets of the company as collateral in his stock speculations and converting to his own use drafts drawn by him as President on the brokerage account, and in many other ways violating the rules which the State Superintendent of Insurance believes should be adhered to by the head of an insurance company.

These are only a few of the charges made by Mr. Hotchkiss in a statement to the public following the placing of the results of his investigation in the hands of District Attorney Jerome. He adds that the investigation of the Phenix had not been completed.

The investigation is likely to lead past the insurance company and its officials and into the administrations of many of the State insurance officials who preceded the present incumbents in office, stretching back over a period of nearly twenty years. It will trace back to the administration of Mr. Kelsey, as well as that of Louis Payn and others, for the charges made by Mr. Hotchkiss include the statement that no investigation of the Phenix Company's books had been made for twenty-two years, prior to the day last October when some of the present Superintendent's trusted men entered the office of the company in William Street and began to uncover its condition.

Blames the Directors.

The Directors of the Phenix are not excused by the Insurance Superintendent. He says that they had full knowledge of many of the acts committed by Mr. Sheldon; that as far back as 1893 they empowered Mr. Sheldon to pledge the company's securities for loans.

A few hours before the news of what had been disclosed in the affairs of the company was made known a meeting of its Directors was held, and Mr. Sheldon was removed from office. In his stead E. W. T. Gray, who has been auditor for the Continental Insurance Company, was elected President. Henry Evans, President of the Continental, was at the same time elected a Director in the Phenix and made Chairman of the Executive Committee. Mr. Hotchkiss says that the election of these two men by the Phenix Directors meets with the approval of the department, and that it should reassure the public.

Whether the capital of the Phenix Company has been impaired by the actions of its former President the Insurance Department does not know, but Mr. Hotchkiss says that so far as the evidence in hand shows the company's securities appear to be intact.

As for Mr. Sheldon, he left New York about the time the investigation of the company's books began, going to his home, at Greenwich, Conn., it being announced that he had suffered an attack of ptomaine poisoning. He is still at Greenwich, and his relatives say he has not recovered.

Mr. Hotchkiss's Report.

In his statement Mr. Hotchkiss said:

"An examination of the Phenix Insurance Company of Brooklyn was begun early in October and will not be completed for some weeks yet," said Mr. Hotchkiss. "The examination, however, has shown the existence of such conditions as seem to require action by the criminal authorities, as well as a general statement to the public, preliminary to the regular official report that will be filed by the examiners at the conclusion of their work.

"In brief, this company, apparently with the consent of its Directors, both present and past, has been for years a one-man institution; and the transactions of that man having been such as are characterized by the facts I am about to state, the Directors who have permitted him to do as he has done are, in the judgment of the Insurance Department, equally responsible to the public for the acts which he has committed.

"In 1893 the books of this company show that its then Directors passed a resolution permitting the President of this company to pledge its securities for loans to the company, and though they or their successors must have been made aware that this power vested in him led, from time to time, to considerable losses, such resolution was not rescinded until the present condition of the company was brought to the attention of the present Directors by the Insurance Department.

Loans Not Regular, He Says.

"Further, though it seems to appear that the Board of Directors of this company never gave its President specific authority to loan the company's funds, such President has made during a period of years large collateral loans and has reported them to the company's Executive Committee and board from time to time only by the figures representing the footing of such loans.

"Still further, though by the by-laws of this company the Committee on Finance and Loans alone has the power to lend the company's moneys, such committee seems never to have exercised this power; in fact, the department is informed that the present members of such committee did not know that they were members thereof.

"Other facts developed by the examination might be stated to demonstrate the statement that the Phenix Insurance Company, in its financial operations, was really George P. Sheldon, and that the Directors of the company have seemingly never objected to his operations or properly exercised their functions in this respect."

Mr. Hotchkiss then explained that Mr. Sheldon had been President of the Phenix Insurance Company since 1887. The other officials and Directors of the company at present are George Ingraham, Vice President; Charles F. Koster, Secretary; John Cartledge, E. C. Converse, B. J. Greenhut, George M. Hard, Frank J. Logan, and William J. Logan, Directors, in addition to the two elected yesterday.

Supt. Hotchkiss said that discoveries made by the investigation of the company's books and of Mr. Sheldon's outside dealings up to the present warrant the following statements:

"First—That each of the annual reports made to the New York Insurance Department during at least the last ten years, and probably for a longer period, is false in more than one particular.

Shifting of Securities.

"Second—That assets of the company which President Sheldon did not wish to report because of their questionable value, in particular certain assets which he originally sold to the company, have, year by year, at annual statement time—that is, Dec. 31—passed through what is designated by one of the Directors as 'wash sales,' with the result that instead of such securities being reported as assets, other securities of approximately the same value as the questionable securities have appeared therein.

"Third—That, acting under the authority of the resolution above mentioned, President Sheldon has for years maintained in at least one brokerage house a speculative margin account in the name of the company, using the assets of the company as collateral to his operations in such account.

"Fourth—That drafts on such brokerage account, drawn by him as President, have been converted to his own personal use, the aggregate of such drafts being a considerable amount.

"Fifth—That Section 16 of the insurance law has been violated by reason of the fact that loans have been made by this company, since the amendatory act of 1906, to both President Sheldon and Secretary Koster. The aggregate of such loans to President Sheldon during the period is upward of $136,000, and to Mr. Koster $7,500.

Sheldon's Salary Overdrawn.

"Sixth—President Sheldon has also for some years overdrawn his salary account, and the same is now paid to October 1, 1910.

"Seventh—While the investigation of some of Mr. Sheldon's operations is by no means completed, developments thus far reveal conditions which, in the judgment of the department, should have put the financial institutions and brokerage houses with which he operated on inquiry and may make it possible for the company to recoup some of its losses through such operations.

"Until the examination is complete it will be impossible for the department to state definitely whether the capital of this company is impaired. It can say, however, that thus far no evidence appears either that its securities are not intact, though some were not in the company's vaults at the time the examination began, or that its assets have been so depleted that the public which holds its policies need be much concerned as to the same."

Supt. Hotchkiss says that in the company's annual statement, made Dec. 31 last, it was indicated that it had a paid-in capital of $1,500,000 and about $1,000,000 surplus, or a surplus to policy holders of about $2,500,000. He says that from information now in hand the department believes that a charge-off of $1,000,000 will be sufficient to balance the losses due to the transactions and operations outlined above by him.

"If so, there will still, on the basis of the annual statement of Dec. 31, a surplus to policy holders of $1,500,000," said Mr. Hotchkiss. "The quarterly statement of Sept. 30, 1909, shows a claimed increase in surplus during the first five months of the present year of approximately $500,000, and if such statement is found to be correct on verification, the surplus to policy holders on the above basis would be $2,000,000."

Supt. Hotchkiss says further:

"The department believes that the above statement does not by any means include all of the improper transactions, and worse, with which the President of this company is chargeable. In another matter, too, he and the other Directors, who knew of the facts, are highly censurable."

Then Supt. Hotchkiss told of the loans made to former officials of the Insurance Department.

Some Large "Loans."

"The books of the company show that at various times during the last seventeen years, and chiefly in the years 1900-05, inclusive, members of the New York Insurance Department, whose duty it was to supervise and examine this company, accepted from this company collateral loans in large amounts, such loans being made by President Sheldon," he said.

"The first of these loans was made to James F. Pierce on July 23, 1893, he then being the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York. The aggregate of the loans to Mr. Pierce was $39,500, the first loan of $10,000 being paid off in June, 1895, while Mr. Pierce was still Superintendent.

"The balance of such loan was canceled, apparently, in part, on June 30, 1902, some time after Mr. Pierce ceased to be Superintendent, by a credit of $15,000 and a corresponding charge for 'counsel fees, &c.,' and the remaining balance, $14,500, charged to profit and loss. This last item, viz.: $14,500, was, however, in January, 1906 met by a payment to the company from the estate of Mr. Pierce, then dead.

"The books of the company also show that beginning in May, 1899, and continuing until June, 1904, Isaac Vanderpoel, who was during all that period Chief Examiner of insurance companies, located at the New York office of the department, borrowed from this company on collaterals upward of $100,000.

"The last credit on this account, which closed the same, was made on Nov. 15, 1904, by a transfer of the account to Tilghman, Rowland & Co., a firm of brokers now out of business.

A Transfer of Account.

"The books of the company also show that, beginning in April, 1901, and continuing until June, 1904, Robert H. Hunter, who during all that period was the First Deputy Superintendent of Insurance in charge of the New York office, borrowed from this company on collaterals a total of $60,040.77, and that in October, 1906, the balance of the principal and interest of such loan was paid by a transfer of the same to a brokerage house on its check for upward of $33,000.

"Thereafter and until 1907 this loan was carried by such brokers in the personal account of Mr. Sheldon, and when the collaterals were closed out in the last mentioned year it showed a loss of upward of $18,000.

"The books of the company also show that beginning with February, 1900, and continuing to January, 1901, William H. Buckley, who was at that time Third Deputy Superintendent of Insurance, stationed at the Albany office of the department, borrowed from this company on collaterals $61,000, and that the only credits on this loan other than for interest prior to April of the current year were, approximately, $26,000, all paid in the year 1900. This loan was paid in full and the account closed in the latter part of April, 1909.

"The above facts, when read in connection with the other fact that this company, prior to the present examination, has not been examined by the Insurance Department of which these men were during the times mentioned responsible officers for practically twenty-two years, or since Mr. Sheldon became President of the company, makes further comment unnecessary."

A Public Verdict.

The Superintendent of Insurance says that if the transactions described by him in connection with the operation of the company are beyond the reach of the law then a chance should be given to the people to render a verdict.

"If the law of this State provides no punishment for transactions of this character between an insurance company and the members of its supervising insurance department, that law should be promptly amended," he said. "If it does provide for punishment and the same now be impossible, owing to death in one case and the running of the statute of limitations in the others, the people of the State will, I am sure, pass such a verdict upon such transactions as to make them unlikely or impossible in the future.

"Under the present law the department must examine life insurance companies at least once in every three years. Its staff is inadequate to examine all of the remaining insurance corporations in the State at reasonable intervals. In my judgment, therefore, the size of the examining force should be so increased that all insurance corporations, other than life insurance companies, may be examined at least once in every five years. This matter will be brought to the attention of the next Legislature."

The first intimation received by Superintendent Hotchkiss that something was wrong in the affairs of the Phenix Company was when D. F. Gordon, chief examiner, who had been instructed to make an investigation of its affairs, reported that there were apparent irregularities. This was shortly after Mr. Gordon and his assistants began on the company's books in October.

Got Into Deep Water.

When it was found that sums of money had been loaned to former insurance officials, Mr. Gordon decided that the appearance of "queerness" was leading him further than he had anticipated. He reported many times to Supt. Hotchkiss, and each time the situation seemed more serious.

Efforts were made to get in touch with Mr. Sheldon, but the Insurance Department investigators were told that he could not be seen. He was evidently kept in touch, however, by members of his office force with the progress made by the Insurance Department investigators for a while.

But for the last few weeks, it is said, Mr. Sheldon knew nothing of what was going on here. In fact, last night when a reporter for THE TIMES tried to reach him at Greenwich, Mr. Sheldon's physicians said that he was too ill to be seen by any one. It was stated there that his mind had been affected by six weeks of illness and worry and that no one is allowed to see him except his physicians.

Those who know Mr. Sheldon well in a business way say that he has been one of the most popular fire insurance men in the country. For some time he has been Chairman of the Committee on Laws and Legislation of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, and as such has looked out for insurance legislation to a large extent throughout the country. He is 62 years old and until six weeks ago was active in business.

Mr. Sheldon is a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and of nearly a dozen clubs, including the Yale Alumni, Whist, Downtown, Golf, Indian Harbor Yacht, New York Athletic, University, and New York Clubs.

Son Shields Sheldon.

George P. Sheldon, Jr., a son of the deposed President, said last night that his father was ill, but not quite in such a serious state as he was some time ago. He did not wish to tell where his father might be found, but said he was not in the city.

"I won't tell you where he is, because he can't be seen and doesn't want to be disturbed," said the son. He added that he had not been apprised that his father was no longer President of the Phenix Company. Young Mr. Sheldon is himself connected with the company.

Members of the Board of Directors who could be reached last night were not inclined to talk of the disclosures. Some of them were out of town.

Vice President Ingraham, when found at his home, 33 Sanford Avenue, Flushing, was asked if the Directors of the Phenix were equally liable with Mr. Sheldon for the sums of money said to have been used in dealing with the former insurance officials.

"It is not true that the Directors are equally responsible with the President," said Mr. Ingraham. "But I can say no more about the affairs of the company. I have been instructed to say nothing by Mr. Evans and Mr. Gray. Of course, I know all about the charges, but I am not at liberty to talk of them."

Attempts made to see Mr. Converse were futile. Reporters were told that he had retired early and would see no one.

Just what District Attorney Jerome will do about the matter could not be learned last night, for he was not at home to reporters. There were many calls over the telephone for him at the Westmoreland apartments, 100 East Seventeenth Street, where he is living, but all callers were told that the District Attorney was not to be disturbed.

It is generally believed, however, that Mr. Jerome will put one of his assistants to work at once on the case and that a full investigation will be made by his office, using the facts presented by Supt. Hotchkiss as a basis.

A Further Investigation.

It is likely that the stock transactions of Mr. Sheldon, transactions which, according to the Superintendent of Insurance, were made with the funds belonging to the company, will be run down through their various channels in the next few weeks, and that by the time the full report of the insurance investigators is made, many revelations in addition to those already disclosed will be turned over to the public.

Insurance men say that the Phenix Company has been looked upon for many years as one of the strongest in the city, although its capital and surplus are not so large as some of the others. The standing of Mr. Sheldon in the fire insurance world has given the company a standing which has been looked upon with envy by some of the weaker concerns.

In Moody's Manual the Phenix Insurance Company of Brooklyn is capitalized at $1,500,000, all stock paid in. It is stated that the capital was increased in December, 1906, from $1,000,000. The stock is scheduled at par, $50. The surplus is given as $1,010,453, and the company is listed as paying dividends of 20 per cent. annually. The dividend payments are made quarterly. Those who are familiar with the business of insurance companies say that the Phenix has been accredited with doing an annual business of $10,000,000 or more.

INSURANCE MEN GATHER.

Officials from Many States Here to Settle Important Points.

Many questions of importance to insurance men are to be discussed to-day at a meeting of several of the committees appointed by the National Convention of Insurance Commissioners, to be held at the Hotel Manhattan. Insurance Commissioners and Superintendents of Insurance from several States arrived here last night, and this morning at 10 o'clock they will hold their opening session.

Among the important questions to be considered are a proposed uniform bill for regulating fraternal insurance, State regulation of the fire insurance rates, as well as the uniform bill recommended by the Commissioners' convention last August, providing standard clauses in policies of accident insurance.

Supt. William H. Hotchkiss of this State is Chairman of the Executive Committee. The other Chairmen of committees who have arrived ready for the meeting this morning are:

Laws and Legislation Committee—Supt. Lemert of Ohio.

Fraternal Insurance Committee—Commissioner Folk of Tennessee.

Special Committee to Investigate Expenses of Fire Insurance Companies—Commissioner Barry of Michigan.

Committee on Examination—Commissioner Crouse of Maryland.

Supt. Hotchkiss is also Chairman of the Committee on Valuation of Securities.

LOANS PAID, SAYS BUCKLEY.

Ex-Deputy Sees No Reason for Making Them Public Now.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 6.—William H. Buckley, who entered the State Insurance Department under Supt. James F. Pierce as Third Deputy in 1891, but resigned eight years ago, when seen to-night said:

"At the time the loans referred to by Supt. Hotchkiss were made there was no provision of law which made them improper or illegal. Furthermore they were well margined, the interest paid, and when they were due were paid in full, so there can be no reason for making them public at this time except to create a false impression.

"I had nothing to do with the examination of fire insurance companies when I was connected with the State Insurance Department, and it should be remembered that only since the enactment of the Armstrong laws has it been the duty of the department to ascertain more than the solvency of the various fire insurance companies."

DALMORES SUED FOR $20,000.

Metropolitan Co. Alleges Hammerstein's Tenor Broke Contract Two Years Ago.

The trial of an action for $20,000 for breach of contract brought by the Conried Metropolitan Opera Company against Charles Dalmores, a French operatic tenor, was begun in Part XIV. of the Supreme Court yesterday before Justice Bischoff. The suit is based on the allegation that Dalmores sang at the Manhattan Opera House two seasons ago after making a contract to sing at the Metropolitan Opera House

Andreas Dippel, who was called by the plaintiff testified:

"Dalmores is in the front rank of French operatic tenors. His loss was a serious one. There are only two or three French tenors as good as he is. They could not be secured because they were under contract. Dalmores has a higher value than other tenors of the first rank because he has a larger and more varied répertoire."

The session of the trial yesterday was given over almost wholly to a legal battle over the admission into evidence of a letter written by Dalmores's counsel, Louis Mathot, to Heinrich Conried. In this letter Mr. Mathot stated that Dalmores could not sing at the Metropolitan Opera House because he was under contract to sing at the Manhattan Opera House. It was brought out that when Dalmores is alleged to have signed his contract with Conried he did not believe his contract with Oscar Hammerstein was binding upon him. Delphin M. Delmas appeared with Mr. Mathot for Dalmores. A. J. Dittenhoefer appeared for the plaintiffs.

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FOUND SUGAR FRAUD BUT LOST HIS JOB

Government Weigher Removed, He Says, After Complaining of Trust's Scales.

COMPANY KEPT THE KEYS

To Scale Houses—Employes Warned of Inspectors' Approach by Flash of Electric Lights.

In addition to the cross-examination of Richard Parr, yesterday's session in the trial of James F. Bendernagel, Oliver Spitzer, Thomas Kehoe, John R. Coyle, Patrick J. Hennessey, and Edward A. Boyle, all former employes of the American Sugar Refinery Company, employed on the Havemeyer & Elder docks in Williamsburg, on charges of conspiracy to defraud the Government by underweighing sugar cargoes, brought out further facts relating to the odds against which the Government weighers worked in the efforts to discover the frauds.

One former Federal weigher told of being removed from duty at the Sugar Trust docks after he had complained that one of the sugar company's employes had interfered with the scales. Another witness said that the approach of Government Inspectors or weighers was closely watched and warnings flashed from one scale house to another by electric lights. These sugar company weighers and checkers, said, another witness, were known as the "Roly Poly Gang."

Before Parr's cross-examination Ephraim Japha, assistant Government weigher, testified that he had been weighing the sugar from the cargo of the steamer Strathyre on the Havemeyer & Elder docks on Nov. 20, 1907.

"Mr. Parr told me to balance the scale," said Japha, "after I had found the weight of the draught then on the scale to be 1,008 pounds, Kehoe pointed out that the lower poids had moved slightly a couple of notches. I put up my hand to move it back when Mr. Parr called out to me to leave it alone.

Q.—What difference would that movement of the poids make? A.—About four pounds.

Q.—Heavier or lighter? A.—Lighter.

Parr Quizzed Again.

Richard Parr was recalled and was examined by Mr. Lexow.

Q. When was it that Mr. Spitzer first used in your presence the word "iron" with regard to the device you allege you found in the scale? A. When I was going to No. 2 Scale House three-quarters of an hour after I found the spring.

Q. You saw Whalley standing there before Scale House No. 3 when you stood on the stringpiece of the dock with Spitzer, Briezinski and England? A. I did not. I was not looking for Whalley.

Q. Was it not on Whalley's signal that you expected to take action? A. Not entirely. Whalley had said that Coyle had refused or neglected to tell him what device they were using.

Mr. Stimson re-examined Parr and asked what Whalley had reported to him.

"Whalley told me," said Parr, "that Coyle would not say what was being used to affect the weight of the sugar. He said, however, that he believed Hennessey was using something in his scale, and that in some cargoes they all used something to affect the scales."

Charles S. Pettingill, a Customs Inspector, who was an assistant weigher from 1905 to February, 1909, testified that he had weighed on the Havemeyer & Elder dock in 1906 and 1907. He weighed there with Boyle, Coyle, and Kehoe as checkers, and he frequently saw Mr. Spitzer there.

No Keys to Scale Houses.

"The Government weighers had no keys to the scale houses," said the witness. "We had to go to some of the checkers to get into the scale houses unless we found them open."

"Did you ever observe anything out of the ordinary about the scales there?"

"Yes, the scale used to stick at the top sometimes when under ordinary circumstances it should vibrate. I had to balance them, and after that they worked all right."

Thomas M. Stensen, a Government weigher, testified to weighing on the Havemeyer & Elder Refinery docks in 1904, 1905 and 1906.

"About June, 1906," he said, "I was weighing with Thomas Kehoe, one of the defendants, as checker for the company. In the afternoon I noticed that the weights were running lower than in the forenoon. The difference was about thirty pounds to a draught, or ten pounds to the bag. I said I thought the trouble was inside. Kehoe said he did not think so. I balanced the scales and went on weighing. The weights went up at once to normal, as they had been in the morning.

Cost Weigher His Job.

"Later in the afternoon Kehoe was relieved. I saw him outside speaking to Mr. Spitzer. That evening I was ordered not to go back to the dock."

The witness said he was removed in April, 1904, while Voelker was checker.

Robert Jones, a former employe of the American Sugar Refining Company, testified that he had worked in the Dock Department under Oliver Spitzer. He knew the men who checked the Government weighers on the dock. There was a gang of men, four, five, or six, he said. John R. Coyle, one of the defendants, was one of them.

Q.—Did you hear Mr. Coyle apply a particular name to that gang? A.—Yes, often.

Q.—What was that name? A.—The "Roly-Poly Gang."

Frederick B. Saunders, colored, a Government laborer for eleven years on the Havemeyer & Elder docks, whenever there was anything to do, as he explained, which was nearly all the time, testified that he had seen customs officials visit the scale houses there.

Q.—Did you ever see any signal made to these scale houses when the officials came there? A.—Yes.

Q.—What was it? A.—A flashing of the electric light.

Q.—What followed? A.—The balancing of the scales, and then some of the customs officials would appear there.

In reply to Mr. Lexow, the witness could not say how often these flashes were made. It was not confined to the visits by Mr. Vail and Mr. Clarkson. He could not tell how often this happened, but said he "never knew it to fail."

John Rochefort, another laborer, gave similar evidence, after which court adjourned.

TWO LONE GIRL VOYAGERS.

Each Was Unaccompanied on the Adriatic—They Became Friends.

Two 15-year-old girls crossed the Atlantic alone on the White Star liner Adriatic, which arrived late yesterday. They became fast friends on the voyage.

When William Evans and his family came to this country a year ago to settle in Bath Beach they left Rhoda with friends in Seccombe, England. The girl had won a two years' scholarship in the Higher Elementary School at New Brighton, and they wished her to finish the course. She remained a year, and then told her father that she wanted to come to America. So he sent for her.

Mary Richards, the other girl, lived with her father, a chemist, in Monmouthshire, England. Her father ran a nail into his arm and became disabled. The girl's sister, Mrs. Nellie Bernard, who lives in Sioux Falls, S. D., sent for the girl. The father will follow her to this country to live with his daughter.

Both girls said they had the best of times crossing.

Bronx to Dine Its President-Elect.

Cyrus C. Miller, Borough President-elect, and other Bronx officials will be entertained at a dinner which is to be given at the Fordham Club to-morrow evening. The dinner has been arranged by a non-partisan committee of neighbors of Mr. Miller. About 200 are expected to attend. After-dinner speeches will be made by Mr. Miller, John Purroy Mitchel, and others.

CALHOUN HAS CHINA POST.

Chicago Lawyer's Appointment as Minister Officially Announced.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Official announcement was made at the State Department to-day of the appointment, already foreshadowed, of William James Calhoun of Chicago as Minister to China. Mr. Calhoun has accepted the appointment, and the Chinese Government has indicated its pleasure in receiving him.

Mr. Calhoun is a member of the Chicago law firm of Calhoun, Lyford & Sheehan. He was born in Pittsburg, Penn., on Oct. 5, 1848, and after being educated at the Union Seminary of Poland, Ohio, where he became a chum of William McKinley, was admitted to the Illinois bar in 1875. For many years he practiced his profession in Danville, the home of Speaker Cannon.

When Mr. McKinley became a Presidential candidate in 1896, he was especially interested in getting the Illinois Republicans enlisted in his cause. United States Senator Shelby M. Cullom was letting his name be used in the State as its "favorite son," and Mr. Calhoun was commissioned to foster the McKinley interests before the State Convention at Springfield. After a warm battle on the floor of the convention hall he succeeded in having McKinley's name indorsed.

President McKinley commissioned Mr. Calhoun to go to Cuba before war against Spain was declared and report the exact situation there. Gen. Fitzhugh Lee had previously forwarded reports to the State Department at Washington of the treatment the rebellious Cubans were receiving at the hands of Gen. Weyler and the Spanish authorities. President Roosevelt, likewise, when he wished to learn the exact facts in the Venezuelan situation in 1905 growing out of the dispute of the Venezuelan Government with the Bermudez Asphalt Company, sent Mr. Calhoun to Venezuela as a special envoy of the Government to investigate the difficulties.

Mr. Calhoun was a member of the Inter-State Commerce Commission from 1898 to 1900. He married in 1880 Miss Alice D. Harmon of Danville, Ill. She died in 1898, and Mr. Calhoun married again five years ago. The present Mrs. Calhoun was Miss Lucy Monroe of Chicago. He has two daughters by his first marriage.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—William J. Calhoun, newly appointed Minister to China, positively declined to-day to discuss China or any phase of his mission in the Orient.

Business affairs of great importance will necessitate his staying in America until some time in January. He has already planned to visit Boston with Mrs. Calhoun to pass the Christmas holidays.

Either on the trip to Massachusetts or on his return journey Mr. Calhoun will visit Washington and confer with President Taft and Secretary Knox.

SATIRIZES WATSON.

Ex-Congressman Littlefield Surprised at America's Assimilative Power.

The Saint Nicholas Society held its seventy-fourth anniversary dinner at Delmonico's last night. Three hundred guests were present and speeches were made by President Finley of the College of the city of New York, Supreme Court Justice Almet F. Jenks of Brooklyn, Prof. William M. Sloane of Princeton College, ex-Congressman Charles E. Littlefield of Maine, and Charles O. Maas. Charles A. Schermerhorn, President of the Society, was toastmaster.

Membership in the society is restricted to those whose ancestors settled in the State of New York prior to 1785. The large dining hall was decorated in yellow, the colors of the society, and pages were dressed in yellow and black costumes. A steward bore into the hall as a preliminary to the speechmaking the tin rooster which was a weather vane on the spire of the old Dutch Church which Peter Stuyvesant attended.

Justice Jenks spoke on "Our City."

"So soon after election," said he, "I feel in making this address as if I were charging a jury in a slander or a libel suit. During the past campaign there was billingsgate libel and slander enough uttered to make the judicious grieve. The city is only a great corporation. It spends over half a million dollars a day for its government, and I do not believe there is much more wrong being done than there is in the handling of any great corporation. Whatever is done, blame it on the city is the cry. Whatever happens, condemn the Mayor. Petty thieving, if any exists, does not arise from partisanship, but from the indifference of the majority. If the majority understood that they paid the taxes themselves there would be more economy and thieving would pass away."

In responding to the toast "Our Country," ex-Congressman Littlefield took a fling at William Watson, the English poet.

"As an indication that this country has great assimilative powers and a strong stomach," he said, "take the incident of the landing here the other day of the Alexander Pope of the twentieth century, the great satirist of the English people. The country has not shown any signs yet of being overcome with nausea."

Among the guests were Capt. John R. Proctor, U. S. A.; Col. William W. Ladd of the Society of Colonial Wars; Seth Low, Walter Scott of the Saint Andrew's Society; Major Gen. Leonard Wood, Rear Admiral J. B. Murdock, Louis J. Lubourg, President of the Netherlands Club; Talbot Olyphant of the Society of the Cincinnati, Rev. Dr. Anthony H. Evans of the St. David's Society, Henry S. Van Duzer of the Holland Society, John R. Planten, Consul General of the Netherlands; Lieut. Commander Warren J. Terhune, Justice Vernon M. Davis, Health Commissioner Thomas Darlington, Theodore P. Shonts, Tyler Morse, and Stuyvesant Fish.

ROBBED OF ALTAR PIECES.

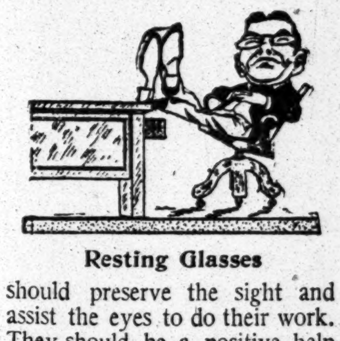
St. Mary the Virgin, Christ Church, and Trinity Chapel Loses.

Somebody who has a liking for things ecclesiastical is helping himself or herself to them. On Sunday morning, when the sexton of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, in West Forty-sixth Street, went to look for the censer, he found it missing from its place. A search was made for it without avail, and a small one, long unused, had to be substituted. Since then a more careful search has been made, but with no result. The missing censer is a memorial, very useful to the church but of little use to anybody else.

On Saturday morning a member of the Altar Guild of Christ Church, Broadway and Seventy-first Street, noticed that the pulpit hanging was missing. It was a handsomely embroidered one, purple in color, with passion vines in rich colors upon it. There was no doubt about it having been in its place, nor of it having been removed by some person unknown to the parish authorities. It was part of a memorial set, the other parts being on the lectern and the altar.

A few days before the beginning of Advent, when green hangings were in use, the pulpit fall of Trinity Chapel, in West Twenty-fifth Street, disappeared. It happened that a member of Trinity's Altar Guild is a friend of a member of Christ Church Altar Guild. The disappearance of precisely the same hanging at about the same hour of the day led to the conviction that perhaps somebody has a mania for such articles. In any event the articles were stolen and nothing else taken.

All of these churches are kept open all day for private devotions, and all of them incur the expense of a caretaker, who is on duty at all times. But it is difficult, it is said, always to have the caretaker on guard every moment. The police were notified yesterday and a warning was sent to such other churches as are kept open that they might be on the watch for thieves.



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RAILROADS CONSIDER NEW WAGE DEMANDS

Figure That Granting the Men's Demands Would Mean a 25 Per Cent. Advance.

HOPE TO AVERT BIG STRIKE

Northwestern Road Managers May Meet Representatives of the Men Now Out.

The demands for higher wages which are to be presented to the Eastern railroads, it was estimated yesterday by officials of some of the trunk lines, if granted would add about 25 per cent. to the compensation now paid to the employes. Demands in respect to waiting time and other conditions of work, added to the general increase in the scale of wages which is sought, would bring up the total increase in wage payments called for by the men, the officials said, to fully 25 per cent. The propositions of the employes probably will be submitted to the railroads late this week.

The demands upon all Eastern lines, it is said in railroad circles, are to be identical and will represent in effect a federated demand of all the unions which have joined so far in this higher wage campaign, including, here in the East, the trainmen, the conductors, and the firemen. The engineers, it is thought, will present demands in the near future.

The railroads are not expected to grant the demands of the men, at least in the shape in which they are presented. One of the difficulties of the present situation is the understanding that among the employes of the Eastern roads, as well as in the West, there is a determination to get at this time the full extent of the demands. The representatives of the men on the several roads who will confer with the managers are said to be instructed to accept no compromise, and if they are unable to induce the railroads to grant their demands to refer the matter to the general officers of the several unions, to be dealt with directly by them and the heads of the railroads.

This is a situation which renders a compromise more difficult, railroad men believe, but on neither side is there any present ill-feeling. Despite the difficulties which the situation presents railroad men are still inclined to take a hopeful view of the possibility of an acceptable adjustment.

The railroads are likely, it is thought, to use any increase in wages at this time as an argument in favor of higher rates. The movement which is now under way, therefore, may assume much greater importance than most wage conferences, for the reason that it may take on the twofold form of a movement among the employes for higher wages and among the railroads for higher rates to offset any present increase in wages and in general to meet the increased cost of operation.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The General Managers' Association of the Northwestern Railroads, on which there is a strike of switchmen, issued a statement to-night declaring that there would be no "gloomy Christmas" for any one because of inability of the roads to deliver Christmas freight.

"At the close of the sixth day of the switchmen's strike," reads the General Managers' statement, "we have shown greater progress than any day since the strike was called. The railroads at no time have been apprehensive of any controversy to be met in the future in dealing with other organizations, and the labor leaders themselves undoubtedly have the same attitude toward the railroads. The time is at an end when labor organizations pursuing fair and businesslike methods cannot sit side by side with the higher officers of the railroads and discuss in common their differences."

The Railroad Managers' Conference Committee is now at work obtaining necessary authority from the various railroad lines involved to meet a committee from the Switchmen's Union.

NO GENERAL STRIKE, SAYS LEE.

Head of Trainmen's Brotherhood Wires Denial of Report to Taft.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—William G. Lee, President of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, to-night sent a telegram to President Taft assuring the President that reports concerning a general railroad strike are without foundation. The message follows:

"In order that yourself and the public may know the truth, I deem it necessary to state that the press reports, indicating that a strike of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and other affiliated organizations is threatened at this time as a result of the demands made for increased pay in the territory east of Chicago, are absolutely without foundation. Whatever action is taken by the organization I represent, will depend entirely upon the individual expression of the members through the general committees for the railways in the territory, and will be handled in the usual manner. The demands of the train employes in train and yard service east of Chicago cannot take proper form even for deliberate consideration between the railway officials and their employes before the early part of 1910.

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Manufacturers Take Advice of Marks and Mitchell to Settle Strike.

UNION MAY FOLLOW SUIT

One of the Girl Leaders in Brooklyn Kills Herself by Gas—Assault by Pickets.

Marcus M. Marks, President of the National Association of Clothiers, who joined John Mitchell in proposing to his association that the strike of the waistmakers be settled by arbitration, addressed a meeting of the Associated Waist and Dress Manufacturers at the Hoffman House yesterday. John Mitchell was to have been there, too, but he was called to Washington.

Mr. Marks extended his plea for arbitration, saying that only by this means would great suffering among the workers be prevented. After he went away the manufacturers decided to try his plan.

An official communication from the association was sent last night to Mr. Marks and Mr. Mitchell so informing them. The letter declared the belief of the members of the association that their employes had no cause for striking, but as an evidence of good faith and confidence in the two men proposing arbitration they would submit to it under the conditions imposed.

Mr. Marks also made a plea to the officers of the Waistmakers' Union at a meeting in Clinton Hall to accept his proposition. It is thought that the union will agree to the plan.

Mary Gachine, a forewoman in a shirtwaist factory at 146 East Twenty-third Street, was rushed by pickets at Fourth Avenue and Twenty-third Street last night. Patrolman Rooney arrested Becky Silverman of 1,522 Brook Avenue, the Bronx. She was charged with assault and disorderly conduct.

The forewoman was under the protection of a private detective, but he seemed unable to help her much when a number of women closed in on her in front of the Metropolitan Life Building.

Her hat was torn off, her clothes were torn, and her handbag snatched from her. A crowd gathered during the fray.

The striking shirtwaist makers in the Brownsville section of Brooklyn were affected by the death of one of their girl leaders, Sadie Cohen, a pretty girl of 23, living with her married sister at 328 Riverdale Avenue. She was found dead in a gas-filled room.

The delay in the settlement of the strike, coupled with the death of her father not long ago, was thought by friends to be accountable for her death. It was believed she killed herself in a period of dejection.

Among the girl shirtwaist strikers there was no more aggressive spirit than Sadie Cohen. She cheered her companions day after day as the strike continued, while each striker was becoming poorer in the face of Christmas. She told them repeatedly there could be nothing but victory for them in the end.

In a last message to her sister, written on a piece of note paper, the girl said:

"These are sad days for me. I die happy. Please do not grieve."

Jennie Kioskowsky, 18 years old, of 226 Ludlow Street, and Gussie Romanoff, 19 years old, of 166 Rivington Street, both shirtwaist strikers, were each held in $300 bail for trial on the charge of assault yesterday in the Jefferson Market Court.

The complainant, Jacob Rosenberg, of 709 East Fiftieth Street, an employe of the shirt waist manufacturing firm of Blumenthal Brothers of 169 Wooster Street, appeared in court with his face scratched. He told Magistrate Breen that the two girls attacked him with hatpins.

NEW ANTI-SUFFRAGE OFFICERS

Mrs. Francis M. Scott Made President of the Opposing Organization.

Mrs. Francis M. Scott of 42 Park Avenue was elected President of the New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage at its fifteenth annual meeting yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Fritz Achelis, 9 East Fifty-seventh Street. Two honorary Vice Presidents were chosen—Mrs. Richard Watson Gilder and Mrs. Elihu Root. Four active Vice Presidents were elected. They are Mrs. Robert McVickar, Mrs. William P. Northrup, Mrs. William A. Putnam, and Mrs. George Douglas Miller. Mrs. Francis S. Bangs, the association's present Treasurer, was re-elected, as was also the Secretary, Mrs. George Phillips. These members of the Executive Committee to serve for three years were chosen: Mrs. Fritz Achelis, Miss Elizabeth V. Cockroft, Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, and Miss Eleanor G. Hewitt.

Three well-known English women were made members of the organization. They are the Countess of Jersey, Miss Ermine Taylor, and Mrs. Humphry Ward.

The Publication Committee announced that it had distributed nearly 100,000 pieces of printed matter during the past year.

Over a hundred women were at the meeting.

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BOTH HOUSES MEET BRIEFLY

Senate Adjourns After 13, House After 40 Minutes—Meet to Hear Taft's Message at Noon To-day.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The first regular session of the Sixty-first Congress met at noon to-day and adjourned not long afterward without a single event to ripple the smooth surface. The nearest approach to excitement anywhere came through a suggestion offered by Senator Bailey that the Senate fix 2 o'clock in the afternoon as its daily meeting hour, instead of noon, which has been the hour of assembling since the Senate began.

The effort of the Senator from Texas to defeat the passage of the usual resolution that the daily sessions begin at noon was unsuccessful. Mr. Bailey explained that he would like to see the Senate hold night sessions in order that Senators might devote the day to individual business. No objection was offered when a similar resolution was introduced in the House. There are a good many Senators who favor meeting at some hour after noon, but there seems no prospect that Bailey's suggestion will be accepted later. After adopting resolutions on the death of Senator Johnson of North Dakota, the Senate adjourned, the whole session having occupied thirteen minutes.

In the House, most of a session of forty minutes was taken up in calling the roll to find out officialy if a quorum was present. The regulars had a ready hand for Speaker Cannon when he appeared from his room just at the stroke of 12. The vigorous handclapping lasted some moments. Then, when Chaplain Couden had concluded his prayer, the routine business of notifying the Senate and the President that the House was ready to go to work was quickly transacted.

Some surprise was felt when John Dalzell was selected to head the House Notification Committee instead of Sereno Payne, the Republican floor leader. The change was made in order that Speaker Cannon might compliment Representative Bennet of New York City a little. Bennet is a close friend of Herbert Parsons, Chairman of the Republican County Committee of New York, who because of the charges he made during the recent municipal campaign to the effect that the Speaker secured Democratic votes at the organization of the House last Spring through a deal with Tammany in regard to legislation at Albany is now at outs with Cannon.

One of the most interesting questions of this session yet unanswered relates to the course Parsons has mapped out for himself. Neither the regulars nor the insurgents have been able to learn definitely whether the New Yorker will stand with either or free lance between the two camps. The selection of Bennet to accompany Dalzell to the White House is taken to be a delicate compliment, offered in the hope that this friend of Parsons will realize that the Speaker still has the shaking of the plum tree in his power.

Although only 341 members responded to their names, almost a full membership appeared on the House floor, and there were few among them that did not have one or more bills to offer. These included one by Representative Garner (Penn.) for an investigation by Congress of the entire customs service particularly in regard to sugar frauds recently brought to light; one by Representative Hitchcock (Neb.) for the establishment of postal savings banks; one by Representative Mann (Ill.) for Federal regulation of the "white slave trade," and another by Mr. Mann for the free admission of wood pulp, and one by Representative Hamilton (Mich.) to grant Statehood to New Mexico and Arizona.

W. W. McCredie, the new Representative from the Second Washington District, who succeeds the late Francis W. Cushman, was sworn in.

As soon as the routine business resolutions had been adopted the resolutions of respect for the memory of Representatives Lassiter and De Armond, who died during the recess, were passed and the House adjourned. There was not a word from any insurgent to indicate the least intention of making trouble of any sort, and the wheels moved as smoothly for the regulars as if there had never been any talk of such a thing.

There were the customary crowds in the galleries of the two houses and the usual scenes attending an opening day of Congress were re-enacted on the floors. The leaders of the majority and the minority were there and conversed amiably, all of the bitterness engendered by the tariff fight of last Summer apparently having been forgotten for the time being at least.

Both houses will meet to-morrow at noon to receive the President's message.

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SULZER WANTS WAR DECLARED ON ZELAYA

Introduces Joint Resolution Authorizing Taft to Use Military Forces in Punishing Him.

CONGRESSMEN IN DOUBT

Think Administration May Have Committed Error in Holding Nicaraguan Dictator Personally Responsible.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—With an accompanying statement reciting that President Zelaya of Nicaragua is a despot and ought to be deposed, Representative Sulzer of New York introduced a joint resolution in the House to-day directing the Administration to demand the "arrest, trial, and punishment of Zelaya by an impartial tribunal in Nicaragua for the willful murder of citizens of the United States, and ample apology from Nicaragua and such damages and reparation as may be just."

The resolution calls for the establishment in Nacaragua of a responsible republican form of government and empowers the President of the United States "to use the entire land and naval forces of the United States, to such an extent as may be necessary, to carry these resolutions into effect."

In other words, Representative Sulzer aks for a declaration of war. He declares there will never be peace in Central America until Zelaya has been driven out. He adds that he is in hearty accord with the policy of Secretary Knox.

Now that Congress is in session, the prediction is revived that the President will put the whole Nicaraguan situation squarely up to the legislative branch in a special message within a short time. This report is not undisputed, however, for the State Department has been of the opinion all along that anything short of a technical and formal declaration of war could be accomplished by the executive without participation by Congress.

It became evident to-day that such evidence as has reached the individual members of Congress has not altogether satisfied them of the wisdom of Secretary Knox's course. These criticisms may be met by the publication of the correspondence between Secretary Knox and the representatives of President Zelaya. That correspondence is gathered now in the State Department in a form convenient for transmission to Congress if that course be decided on.

Doubts among Senators on the Committee of Foreign Affairs concerning the Government's policy toward Nicaragua came out to-day in informal discussions among themselves on the floor of the Senate after adjournment. The fear was expressed that Mr. Knox, and through him the President, had erred in making the matter personal to Zelaya and in holding him up as a subject for this country's punishment. Had Zelaya's acts been performed by the head of any powerful European Government, said one Senator, this Government's only method at the outset would have been to demand an explanation. There would have been no thought of withdrawing recognition or assailing the foreign ruler personally, he said, and that seems to be the opinion of many.

However, it is not doubted that should the President ask for support in an aggressive policy against Zelaya it would be granted at once. Mr. Sulzer's resolution to-day shows clearly that support would come from both parties.

That the troubles in Central America may be ended, however, without American interference is intimated in a dispatch received by the State Department to-day from the Consulate at Managua. That dispatch stated that on Dec. 4 President Zelaya was sending heavy columns of troops to the east in the direction of the Estradist forces, and that under cover of their manoeuvres he was himself planning to leave the country. This report, however, being two days old, is not regarded as conclusive.

The old report of joint action by this country and Mexico was revived to-day and promptly denied.

ESTRADA HAS 46 AMERICANS.

Many Besides Cannon and Groce Joined Insurgents in Nicaragua.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 6.—Forty-six Americans are fighting with the revolutionary forces in Nicaragua, according to Capt. A. H. Wilson of Gen. Estrada's army, who was in Lexington yesterday on his way home to Charleston, West Va., from Central America.

Capt. Wilson confirms the statement that Cannon and Groce, the two Americans who were shot by order of Zelaya, were regular members of the Estrada forces.

DIXIE SAILS WITH MARINES.

Starts for Central America with Prairie's Men and Equipment.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—The transport Dixie, with the 700 marines and all the equipment transferred from the stranded transport Prairie, passed out to sea early to-day on her way to Central America.

Admiral Kimball and the marines, who are bound for Colon and may be sent to Nicaragua, are three days behind the schedule set by the Navy Department.

The failure of the Prairie to float off the mud flats of Pea Patch Island in the Delaware River Saturday night prompted the Navy Department to order the Dixie to take the Prairie's place. The Dixie arrived alongside the grounded transport yesterday afternoon, and with the assistance of the marines, the crews of the two transports and half a dozen tugs, the transfer of the Prairie's cargo of equipment was quickly effected. The work moved so rapidly that the Dixie was ready to sail shortly after sundown, and proceeded down the river. She had the tide with her and passed out to sea at 1:30 A. M.

Another unsuccessful effort was made to float the Prairie at flood tide early to-day. It is probable that she will have to be dredged out by a suction dredge.

ESTRADA DEFIED ZELAYA.

Refused to Lay Down Arms Unless Dictator Renounced Power.

Special to The New York Times.

MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 6.—Copies of El Regenerator, a revolutionist paper printed in Bluefields, which has reached here, contains recent correspondence between Zelaya and Gen. Estrada regarding the cessation of hostilities. Zelaya's telegram shows that he proposed to retire provided Estrada would lay down his arms and disperse his followers. Gen. Estrada telegraphed in return the following message:

> We are sure of victory. We do not fight against Nicaraguans or Liberals. All we desire is to put an end to the deplorable condition of the country. If Zelaya renounces power we will lay down our arms, but he will not do so because he has neither honor nor patriotism and we are in duty bound to go to Managua and take the Presidential office at the point of our bayonets. He has polluted and defiled the office, therefore he has destroyed the social order and insulted civilized people. If we fight against our fathers and brothers it is because it is for the good of the nation. This is our irrevocable decision.

This message was signed by Gen. Estrada and several other Generals and high officers of the insurgents.

FOR CUSTOMS INQUIRY.

Concurrent Resolutions in Congress to Investigate Service and Sugar Frauds.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Two concurrent resolutions providing for an investigation of the customs service and the Sugar Trust frauds were introduced in Congress to-day. The resolution by Representative Campbell of Kansas asks for an inquiry both into the customs service and the American Sugar Refining Company, popularly known as the Sugar Trust, and into the charges of collusion between officials and employes of the two organizations.

Mr. Campbell says he will confer with Attorney General Wickersham as to features of the investigation which the latter may think should be left out in order to give the Department of Justice a better swing at the inquiries it has already instituted.

The other resolution was introduced by Representative A. B. Graner of Pennsylvania, and provides for the appointment of a committee of five members of the House and three members of the Senate to investigate the customs service with special reference to the collection of sugar duties and "the National scandal arising from the operations of the so-called Sugar Trust." The committee is to receive the power to subpoena witnesses.

Both these resolutions were referred by Speaker Cannon to the Committee on Rules, where he can do with them just what he likes.

WRIT GRANTED TO GOMPERS.

Supreme Court Will Pass on Contempt Proceedings Against Labor Leaders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The petition of Samuel Gompers, Frank Morrison, and John Mitchell for a writ of certiorari, bringing the contempt cases against them up for review, was granted to-day by the Supreme Court. The order was read by Chief Justice Fuller, Mr. Gompers and Mr. Morrison being present. Mr. Gompers at once left the court room and was warmly greeted by his wife and daughter, who were waiting for him in the corridor.

The order of the Supreme Court will act as a stay to the carrying out of the decree of the lower court sending the three labor leaders to jail, and it is considered likely that the case will be moved up for a hearing and be disposed of within sixty days.

Mr. Gompers said afterward that he was much gratified at the action of the court, and that he felt now that his case would be tested before the proper tribunal. There are important questions involved in the proceeding against himself and his associates, he said, and a decision from the highest court was needed to settle them.

FREE PULP FROM CANADA.

Mann Resolution to Remove Duty on Print Paper for That Country Only.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—With the convening of Congress to-day Representative James Mann of Illinois, Chairman of the Committee on Inter-State Commerce and formerly Chairman of the select committee appointed to investigate the duty on wood pulp and print paper, began his fight to place those articles on the free list when they are imported from Canada. Mr. Mann began his campaign by the simultaneous introduction of four bills and joint resolutions which seek to accomplish three separate things.

Mr. Mann's first resolution is general in its terms, and postpones until Jan. 10 levying of the maximum rates, which by the terms of the Payne law go into effect automatically on April 1 against all countries not specifically excepted by the President. Another move along the same line proposes to take wood pulp and print paper out of the scope of the maximum rates, whether it comes from a country otherwise subject to the punitive rates or not.

The most important of Mr. Mann's resolutions, however, is that by which he hopes to avert a trade war with Canada. It involves giving to Canadian wood pulp and print paper free entry into this country from Canada alone, while on paper from Scandinavia and other countries the present rate of $3.75 a ton will continue to be levied. This free entry is of course made dependent on the removal of all restrictions by the Canadian provinces on the export of wood pulp, print paper, and pulp wood.

5,000 OUT TO HEAR PEARY.

But Only Half Could Get Into Engineering Society's Hall.

Fully 5,000 people turned out last night to hear Commander Robert E. Peary tell the story of his discovery of the north pole at the Engineering Society's Building, 29 West Thirty-ninth Street, under the auspices of the American Geographical Society. Only half this number, however,, were able to get into the building. Archer M. Huntington, President of the society, introduced the speaker.

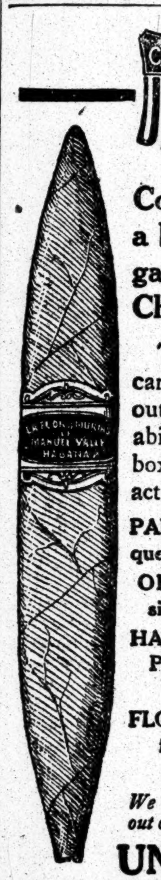
The first thing done on reaching Winter quarters, as illustrated by the Commander, was to land the supplies. "If you lose your ship, you may have to walk back home," declared the Commander, "but if you leave your supplies on board, you lose ship and supplies both, and then you are sure to starve to death."

Commander Peary then reviewed the conditions surrounding the start for the pole on Feb. 15 and the use he made of the supporting parties in his dash for the long-coveted goal.

Showing on the screen with his stereopticon views some of the immense ice pressures, where ice was piled as high as 150 feet, after years of piling up, down to the thin ice, which was a foot or eighteen inches thick, the Commander pointed out the difficulties encountered in surmounting these obstacles, when dogs and men had to strain every muscle to get the loaded sledges through.

An interesting picture, illustrating the difficulty of making observations was that of Prof. Ross Marvin, making his furthest north observation at 85.48' just before turning back. A snow windguard had been erected, and Marvin was stretched full length, wrapped in a musk ox skin, with the artificial horizon fixed on a box in front of him, seeking to catch the sun at the low altitude which prevailed.

The arrival at the last camp, 89.57', and the trip around there for ten miles in one direction and eight miles in another, with the picture of the Stars and Stripes standing on an ice mound at the top of the earth, was greeted by the big audience with prolonged cheers and applause.



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BIG ARMY AND NAVY CUTS

Over $13,000,000 for New Ships Is Omitted and Will Reduce Total Saving—Treasury Lops Off $12,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—That there has been a careful scrutiny of the estimates of appropriations for the fiscal year to end June 30, 1911, is shown by the figures submitted to the House of Representatives to-day by Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh. The grand total of estimates for 1911 is $732,223,075, which is $103,370,303 less than the appropriations for the current fiscal year and $123,066,493 under the estimates submitted a year ago for 1910. A general cut has been made wherever possible, and new work authorized only where regarded as absolutely necessary.

Heretofore it has been the practice of departmental officers to "pad" the estimates with the expectation that they would be materially reduced before being finally passed by Congress. As soon as President Taft came into office he directed that this practice be discontinued, and gave notice to the members of his Cabinet that in the future all estimates must be submitted on the basis of the actual needs and requirements of the service. The result is, the officials say, that the figures submitted to-day are down to a bed rock basis and will bear the closest examination by the appropriation committees of both houses of Congress. The departure, they add, will reduce materially the actual work of the Appropriation Committee.

Large reductions in the estimates as compared with the appropriations for the current year, are: In the Treasury Department a decrease of $12,000,000 for public works; in the War Department about $6,000,000 in the military establishment, made up of decreases of the estimates for regular supplies, construction works for the army, mounted equipment, transportation, ordnance and manufacture of arms, and $2,500,000 for public works, exclusive of the Panama Canal; in the Post Office Department a reduction of $5,000,000 in the estimated deficiency in the postal revenues, and in the Department of Commerce and Labor a decrease from $10,000,000 to $2,000,000 on account of the thirteenth census. On the other hand there is an increase of nearly $15,000,000 for Isthmian Canal expenses.

Navy Estimate Incomplete.

In the Navy Department the estimates as presented to the House of Representatives show a decrease of $26,000,000. Only $4,000,000 was requested for armor and armament, as against an appropriation of $12,452,000 for this year. No money at all for new ships for the navy was included. However, Secretary Meyer has submitted estimates aggregating $12,844,122 for this purpose. They came in too late for insertion in the book of estimates laid before Congress to-day and will be separately transmitted to that body by Secretary MacVeagh. The total cut in the naval estimates will, therefore, be reduced from $26,000,000 to $13,155,878.

The estimates in detail for the various departments (cents omitted) are:

Legislative	$13,169,679
Executive	472,270
State Department	4,476,301
Treasury	136,998,605
Territorial governments	287,350
Independent offices	2,400,695
District of Columbia	11,884,928
War	200,461,645
Navy	117,029,914
Interior	191,224,182
Post Office Department proper	1,695,690
Deficiency in postal revenues	10,634,122
Department of Agriculture	17,681,136
Commerce and Labor	14,187,913
Justice	9,518,640

Expenses of the postal service are paid from the postal revenues and are not estimated for.

The money order business has grown to such an extent that in the opinion of Postmaster General Hitchcock some change in the method of auditing the accounts is necessary in the interest of economy and efficiency, so that he asks for an appropriation of $24,570 to purchase adding machines.

For collecting the corporation tax $100,000 is asked. Total estimates required on account of the Forestry Service are $5,043,700, of this amount $397,500 being for the protection of the 26,000,000 acres recently added to the National forests.

More for Joint Manoeuvres.

Secretary of War Dickinson wants $1,350,000 for the expenses of the encampment and manoeuvres of the organized militia, as against an appropriation of $425,000 for the current year, the Secretary explaining that the additional amount is rendered necessary by the fact that in the season of 1910 the annual joint Coast Artillery and militia exercises will be held as usual and also the biennial encampments and manoeuvres of the mobile forces of the militia and regular army. For buildings and grounds at the West Point Military Academy $1,070,252 is asked.

The $17,435,724 asked for under the head of increase of the navy is for the completion, outfitting, and armament of vessels already authorized. For modernizing turrets of naval ships $564,000 is wanted. For public works under the Bureau of Yards and Docks, the estimates include: Navy yard, Boston, $105,000; naval station, Guantanamo, $100,000; navy yard, Mare Island, $107,000; navy yard, New York, $516,000; navy yard, Norfolk, $320,000; naval station, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, $2,045,000; navy yard, Philadelphia, $215,000; navy yard, Puget Sound, $885,000; for land for a torpedo station near the Pacific Coast of the United States $145,000.

Appropriations asked for under the head of public buildings included: For New York City—Assay Building, $150,000; Barge Office, $100,000; Marine Hospital, $50,000; Post Office, $500,000. For Washington—Building for Bureau Engraving and Printing, $653,695.

By the Isthmian Canal Commission $15,504,036 is asked for skilled and unskilled labor—an increase of more than $3,000,000 over the amount provided for the current year—and $20,218,983 is asked for material, an increase af almost $10,000,000.

The total increase in Isthmian Canal expenses is from $33,638,000 to $48,063,524.

For public works under the War Deparement the estimates include $2,000,000 for the alteration and maintenance of the seacoast artillery, $1,319,000 for seacoast batteries in the Philippines, to be expended under the Engineer Department; $1,900,000 for fortifications in the insular possessions under the Ordnance Department; $500,000 for storehouses at Manila, $183,000 for completing the military prison at Fort Leavenworth, $350,000 to complete the army supply depot at Fort Mason, Cal.; $200,000 for a cavalry post on Hawaiian territory, $150,000 for the improvement of the Yellowstone National Park.

Under the head of rivers and harbors the larger estimates are $315,000 for improving channel in Gowanus Bay, New York, and $194,000 for harbor at Cleveland.

The Interior Department wants $500,000 for protecting the public lands, and the Attorney General $200,000 for the detection and prosecution of crimes against the Government and the investigations of the acts of officers of the United States and territorial courts.

NO MINORITY LEADER YET.

Democratic Senatorial Caucus Chooses No Successor to Culberson.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—At a caucus of the Democratic Senators this afternoon it was decided not to elect a successor to Senator Culberson for minority leader for a time. The hope was expressed that Senator Culberson would reconsider the decision to retire from the leadership.

The real explanation of the failure to elect, however, lies in the difficulty the Democrats find in centering on some one who will be acceptable to all. The most prominent name among those mentioned for the post so far is that of Senator Money of Mississippi, but Money is reluctant to accept the arduous duties of leading a divided following. The only other two Senators mentioned so far for the post are Senator Bailey and Senator Bacon.

MANN'S WHITE SLAVE BILL.

Commissioner General of Immigration to Control and Prevent Traffic.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—A bill to be known as the "White Slave Traffic act" to regulate and prevent the transportation in inter-State and foreign commerce of alien women and girls for improper purposes, was introduced in the House to-day by Representative Mann of Illinois, and referred to the Committee on Inter-State and Foreign Commerce, of which he is Chairman. It proposes to take out of the hands of the States the control of the traffic in women and to place it under the Federal Government. Importation and exportation of women are included in the same category, and with the States of the Union are included the Territories, the District of Columbia, insular possessions, and the Canal Zone.

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Mr. Lamb reported yesterday that the noises have disappeared from his head. He can again hear his watch tick at some little distance off, and his hearing is so much improved that he can understand ordinary conversation when the persons speaking are some distance from him.

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(N. Y. World, Sept. 2, 1894.)

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Aeroplane Turns Over and Crushes Antonio Fernandez at Aerodrome Near Nice.

BUILT MACHINE HIMSELF

Impatient at Many Delays, He Patches Up Defective Part with Twine and Accident Follows.

NICE, France, Dec. 6.—Antonio Fernandez, an aviator, met death to-day while flying for the first time in an aeroplane of his own invention at the new aerodrome near the mouth of the Var. Although Fernandez took his machine to Rheims during aviation week there, difficulties in starting always prevented an actual flight until to-day.

The accident appears to have been due chiefly to the inexperience and recklessness of the aviator, who, impatient at the delay and not heeding the expostulations of his mechanician, patched up a defective part of the machine by binding it with common twine.

The aeroplane sailed off gracefully amid the cheers of the spectators, and the inventor's hopes seemed to be fulfilled, when, after going 200 yards and gradually rising, he attempted to make a turn too sharply, and the machine tipped over in the twinkling of an eye.

Fernandez was hurled headlong to the ground, striking with terrific force, with the wreck of his aeroplane on top of him. Spectators lifted the mass of débris and the avitator was found crushed beneath the motor, his head having been driven into the soft earth by the impact.

The victim was a strikingly handsome man, well known in Nice, where he was formerly a fashionable ladies' tailor. He took up aviation quite recently, devoting all his time to it. He was convinced that his aeroplane, which resembled both the Wright and the Curtiss machines, was superior to any other.

Fernandez, though popularly ranked as a French aviator, was of Spanish birth. He became interested in flying from reading of spectacular aerial exhibitions. With the aid of a cutter in his employ he built the machine in which he met his death.

Fernandez is the third man to be killed in a motor power aeroplane. The first fatality was the death of Lieut. Selfridge while flying as a passenger with Orville Wright at Fort Myer in September, 1908. E. Lefebvre, a French aviator, was killed on Sept. 7, when his aeroplane turned turtle two minutes after his flight had been begun. Lefebvre was using a Wright machine.

DR. STARR APPEALS FOR A CUSTOMS MAN

Alienist Thinks Loeb's Dismissal of an Inspector Was Entirely Unwarranted.

AN OLD CASE BROUGHT UP

A Loan of $25 Said to Have Been the Reason for the Collector's Action.

Dr. M. Allen Starr of 5 West Fifty-fourth Street, Professor of Nervous Diseases in the medical department of Columbia University, President of the American Neurological Association and New York Neurological Society, Vice President of the New York Academy of Medicine, editor of The Psychological Review and Journal of Nervous and Mental Diseases, author of textbooks, and a member of nearly every scientific body abroad, will appeal to Washington to-day against the dismissal from the Customs Service of Inspector Charles Nimmo for an act of friendliness done two years ago.

In making the announcement of the dismissal of Inspector Nimmo, Collector Loeb would say nothing except to give out this typewritten statement:

> Charles Nimmo, Customs Inspector, has been dismissed from the service by Collector Loeb for violation of the rules, particularly for visiting the house of a passenger whose baggage he had examined.

Nimmo was appointed to the service on Aug. 30, 1886, and was officially dropped on Saturday. He lives at 482 East Eighth Street, and it is said his record is good.

Dr. Starr and his wife and two children returned from a European trip on the Adriatic, which arrived from Southampton about Sept. 9. Dr. Starr said last night that when he landed on the pier his baggage was subjected to an examination that caused him great annoyance. Nimmo was the Inspector. He went through every piece of the Starr baggage in the most thorough way. Other officials gathered about and watched the proceedings, to the annoyance of Dr. Starr. Even the empty milk bottles, which had contained the milk used on the voyage by the Starr children, were inspected.

When it was all over Dr. Starr left the pier, determined to protest against the method of examination. He had no feeling against Nimmo, he said, for he had only done his duty. He was angry with the system which had made such a humiliating examination necessary.

The next morning he read in the newspapers that James B. Reynolds, the then Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, was in town to investigate complaints from incoming travelers. It was said he could find none to investigate.

"Well, I will give him one to investigate," said Dr. Starr, and he wrote to Mr. Reynolds, complaining of his treatment the day before.

Some days afterward Dr. Starr said he received a letter stating that his complaint would receive attention. Then, he said, a customs man called on him. Dr. Starr said that this man particularly wanted to know about Inspector Nimmo. He repeated that he had no complaint to make against the Inspector, but against the system.

"You have had this Inspector before on arrival," said the customs investigator. Dr. Starr said that Nimmo had examined his baggage two years ago when he arrived from abroad with his family on the steamship Kronprinzessin Cecilie.

"Don't you know the Inspector?" the investigator insisted.

Dr. Starr said he did not know him, but that many years ago he had treated the Inspector's uncle, who was a sufferer from a peculiar nervous disease.

The investigation, Dr. Starr said, was more an investigation of the Inspector than the complaint. In the end the customs men found out about an act of kindness done by Nimmo two years before, and his dismissal followed. Dr. Starr was indignant when he heard of the action of Collector Loeb.

"Why, it's a shame," he said. "When I arrived two years ago Nimmo was detailed to examine my baggage. He did his work well, without fear or favor, and when it was over I had to pay $375 duty. I found I had only $350, and the Inspector kindly volunteered to lend me the needed $25. He did not know me as an acquaintance, but he knew me as Dr. Starr, and I am well enough known in this city, I think, to be good for $25 anywhere. It was a simple act of kindness on his part, and helped me out of a difficulty, for the Government will not take checks. Next day he called at my house and I paid him back the money. I did not give him a cent more than the sum he advanced me."

Dr. Starr said that this act of two years before became known after his recent complaint against the service. "Why," he said, "the man who called on me even wanted to know whether I had given the Inspector a check."

"There is nothing to say regarding this case," said Collector Loeb. "Inspector Nimmo broke the rules, and for this he was dismissed. I am going to stop that sort of thing."

ELEVATED HOLDS ITS OWN.

Despite the Heavy Subway Traffic It Shows Increased Earnings.

The Interborough Rapid Transit Company yesterday made public figures which show that while traffic on the Subway has steadily increased since it was opened, the patronage of the company's elevated lines has not fallen off, but will surpass all previous records this year.

The banner year with the elevated was 1904, the year before the Subway was opened, when it carried 286,534,195 passengers. In the first six months of the present year 144,372,552 were carried on the elevated lines, or 3,057,285 more than in the corresponding period in 1904. If the increase for the year keeps up in proportion the figures for 1904 will be beaten this year by more than 5,000,000.

KILLED IN MISTAKE FOR A BURGLAR

C. H. Guthinger, Tammany Politician, Shot by James Allen, Whose Flat He Had Entered.

LIVED IN THE SAME HOUSE

Keys Fitted Both Apartments and Intruder Being Deaf Did Not Hear Himself Challenged.

Mistaken for a burglar, Charles H. Guthinger, stage manager of Miner's London Theatre on the Bowery, was shot and instantly killed early yesterday morning by James Allen in the latter's apartment on the third floor of 196 Third Avenue. It developed after the shooting that Guthinger, who lived on the floor above with his wife, entered the wrong apartment by mistake. Investigation by the police of the East Twenty-second Street Station and Coroner Acritelli into the events that led up to the shooting elicited these facts:

Charles H. Guthinger left the theatre about 1:30 A. M. on Sunday after assisting in a benefit performance in aid of the National Theatrical Employes' Union, and walked to his home, where he arrived about 1:45 A. M. He had occupied a flat on the fourth floor with his wife for three years, and it is assumed that Guthinger miscalculated the number of flights, there being two between each floor, and entered the flat which had been occupied by James Allen and his wife since last Wednesday instead of his own.

Guthinger's key fitted the lock of the Allen apartment. As he groped his way in the dark for the supposed location of his bedroom door Allen heard him and stepped out after grabbing a revolver from the dresser.

"Who's there?" he cried. "Sing out or I'll shoot." There was no reply, but a dark shape loomed up before him and Allen fired at close range. His bullet pierced the heart of the intruder, who fell lifeless at his feet.

Allen lit the gas, opened the window and called for help. Patrolman John Delaney of the East Twenty-second Street Station came and he summoned Capt. Burfeind, Lieut. Maglin and an ambulance from Bellevue Hospital. The police found the body of the then unknown man lying face downward in the private hallway of the Allen apartment about three feet from the door of Allen's bedroom.

Tenants in the house had been aroused by the revolver and gathered in groups in the halls. Mrs. Guthinger, who was in ill health, heard the shot, and was told that a burglar had been shot in the flat below. William Marx, the janitor, was aroused by the police and came up to the Allen flat in such an excited state that he said he did not know the dead man.

Two hours later the police found a card in the dead man's pocket which identified him. By that time the janitor was able to recognize the dead man as Guthinger.

When Mrs. Guthinger learned the truth she became hysterical, and Mrs. Allen, who was also in a delicate state of health, was overcome and both women had to be taken to Bellevue Hospital for treatment. Mrs. Guthinger told the police that her husband had been attacked by deafness three months ago and had been undergoing treatment from a specialist.

Charles Kemper, an employe at Miner's Theatre, who boarded with Mr. and Mrs. Guthinger, told the police that on account of their being two short flights between each floor he had got confused two weeks ago and entered the same flat now occupied by the Allens, but at that time it was vacant.

When Allen was informed that he had killed his neighbor instead of a burglar he broke down completely. When arraigned before Magistrate Moss in the Yorkville Court he was remanded to the Coroners' office, where he was released in $1,000 bail to await the inquest on Thursday.

Guthinger was first employed at Miner's Theatre twenty-five years ago as a call boy and had remained there ever since. He was a member of Tammany Hall, and was popular among the organization men in his district.

James Allen has been manager of the hotel owned by Cornelius Fitzgibbons at Fourteenth Street and Second Avenue for the last nine years, and was married two months ago. His brother, William Allen, is a policeman detailed to the Elizabeth Street Station. It was he who gave him the 32-calibre revolver which he used in the shooting, and he also gave him the fox terrier, Trixy, who barked an alarm when Guthinger entered the Allen flat.

The police believe that Allen was convinced he was coping with a burglar when he fired.

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ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Dec. 6.—Fears for the safety of the Red Cross liner Rosalind, bound for this port from New York by way of Halifax, were dismissed to-night when the vessel, several days overdue, reported to her agents by wireless via Cape Race that she is about five miles off this port, hidden in the dense fog. It is considered doubtful that the Rosalind will attempt to thread the narrow channel up the harbor here to-night. The weather is so thick that the coast fog signals are of little use to the steamer's navigators.

The Rosalind, which has a number of passengers from New York aboard, left Halifax for this port Tuesday morning, and ran into the tempest which centred off Southwestern Newfoundland for several days, wrecking many sailing vessels.

The cable steamer Colonia, three days overdue, has arrived here. She has on board part of a new cable to connect Waterville, Ireland, with New York, via Cuckold's Cove.

P. L. Thomas Hurt in Auto Wreck.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—P. L. Thomas, 60 years old, of Logansport, Ind., chief oculist of the Pennsylvania Railroad, was probably mortally injured in an automobile accident to-day while testing a car which he purposed to buy. The steering gear stuck and the car crashed into the curb and turned turtle.

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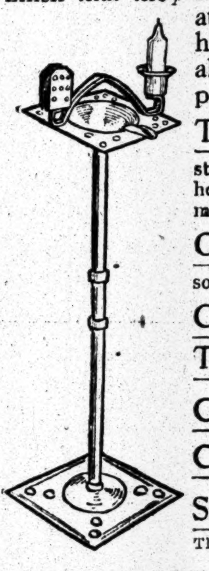

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Tailored and Lingerie Waists, 98c. Tailored Waists in madras and linon; buttoned in front. Lingerie Waists, embroidery and lace trimmed; buttoned in back.
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MEANS TO SHOW CONSPIRACY

Finds Consolidated Milk Exchange and Illegal Milk Exchange, Dissolved by Court, Almost Identical.

Justice Seabury, in Supreme Court yesterday, appointed William Grant Brown referee to take testimony bearing upon the existence of a milk monopoly in New York City. Attorney General Edward R. O'Malley filed the petition and applied for the order in person. The time for the first hearing is fixed at 2 o'clock next Thursday. Among those ordered to appear and give testimony are the officers and members of the Consolidated Milk Exchange, the officers and Directors of the Borden's Condensed Milk Company, the Sheffield Farms-Slawson-Decker Company, and the Mutual Milk and Cream Company.

Attorney General O'Malley charges that the recent rise from 8 to 9 cents a quart in the price of bottled milk in New York City was due not to any natural conditions, but to a conspiracy. He says, moreover, that he has learned of a further conspiracy to raise the price of milk to 10 cents a quart. John B. Coleman has been designated as Special Deputy Attorney General to prosecute the investigation.

The Consolidated Milk Exchange, the Attorney General explains, is the direct successor of the Milk Exchange, Limited, which was dissolved as an illegal combination in restraint of trade on May 6, 1895, and is made up of the same persons and officered by many of the same men. It transacts its business, he says, under a constitution and by-laws similar to those of the dissolved Milk Exchange, Limited, and its existence is in violation of Article 22 of Section 30 of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York.

The Exchange has been illegally fixing the price of milk to the consumer and the amounts paid to the producers, according to information in the Attorney General's keeping.

Figures were offered to the court to show that there was nothing apart from the arbitrary decisions of the Board of Direceors of the Milk Exchange to account for the increasing prices to consumers and the decreasing prices to producers.

Here are some extracts from the Attorney General's petition:

November Raise Illegal.

In pursuance of our agreement, contract, arrangement, and combination, the corporations and dealers composing the membership of the Consolidated Milk Exchange notified their customers in the City of New York and its vicinity that on and after the first day of November, 1909, the price of bottled milk in the City of New York would be raised from eight cents to nine cents a quart and that the aforesaid parties refused to sell any of such milk to any consumers in the City of New York and its vicinity after said date unless such consumer paid such advanced price of nine cents a quart.

Your petitioner is informed and believes: That said advance in the price of milk, as heretofore set forth, was unreasonable, unwarranted, unjust and illegal. That said advance was merely made for the purpose of obtaining extra profits and that they have, by the aforesaid arrangement, combination, and contract, stifled and prevented and restrained competition in the sale of milk, and have created a monopoly in the sale of milk in the City and State of New York.

The Way Prices Are Fixed.

That the Board of Directors of the said Consolidated Milk Exchange at their meeting place at No. 6 Harrison Street, Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, have ever since the incorporation of the said Consolidated Milk Exchange fixed, and are now fixing, and settling unlawfully and illegally the price of milk to be paid by the stockholders and members of such Consolidated Milk Exchange to the producers and the price of milk to be charged by such stockholders and members to the consumers in the City of New York. That the stockholders and members of said Consolidated Milk Exchange have agreed, and did agree, within the State of New York, amongst themselves, not to buy milk from the producers at a greater price than that fixed upon by the Board of Directors of the said Consolidated Milk Exchange and not to sell to the consumer in the Cty of New York or its vicinity at a less price than that fixed upon by the said Board of Directors of the said Consolidated Milk Exchange.

Your petitioner is informed and believes: That the Consolidated Milk Exchange and its members and stockholders, the Borden's Condensed Milk Company, the Sheffield Farms-Slawson-Decker Company, and the Mutual Milk and Cream Company have at the present time a monopoly of the milk supply available to the inhabitants of the City of New York and have had such monopoly for over a year past.

Your petitioner is informed and believes: That about six months after the dissolution of the Milk Exchange, Limited, by the Supreme Court of the State of New York, on or about the 15th day of November, 1895, practically the same men who had composed the officers, Board of Directors, and stockholders of the Milk Exchange, Limited, caused to be incorporated in the State of New Jersey a corporation under the name of the Consolidated Milk Exchange.

That the stockholders, Board of Directors, and officers of the Milk Exchange, Limited, and the Consolidated Milk Exchange were very nearly the same.

That the said Consolidated Milk Exchange continued to carry on the busness in the same manner and under practically the same by-laws and rules and regulations as before the dissolution of the said Milk Exchange, Limited.

It is expected that at the conclusion of the hearings before the referee Mr. O'Malley will make application to have the Consolidated Milk Exchange restrained from doing business in New York.

UNIFORM RATE FOR CITY COAL.

Efforts on Foot to Fix Specifications So as to Save Money.

Mayor McClellan will hold a conference to-day with the purchasing agents of the different city departments in his office to endeavor to establish standard specifications for the purchase of coal by the city. It is generally believed that reform along these lines will save the city several hundred thousand dollars a year.

The city buys more than $2,000,000 worth of coal a year, and in the reports of the various departments it has been shown that the prices paid vary widely. In the recent report of the engineers appointed by the Board of Estimate to investigate the matter it was stated that more than $200,000 could be saved in the Brooklyn division of the Water Department alone.

Controller Metz, who was largely responsible for the starting of the agitation, will be present at the conference, together with A. F. Ride, representing the Coal Merchants' Association.

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FINED FOR BEATING A PUPIL.

Teacher's Severe Attack on a Boy Denounced by a Magistrate.

Denouncing a school teacher "for outrageously beating a pupil," Magistrate Krotel made known in Essex Market court yesterday his decided opposition to corporal punishment.

Jacob Kopecs of 345 East Sixty-sixth Street, a teacher in a private school at 854 Sixth Street, was in court on a charge of disorderly conduct preferred by an agent of the Children's Society on information furnished by Harry Yager, 8 years old, of 64 Sheriff Street, one of Kopecs's pupils.

The boy showed several severe bruises on his shoulders, and said the teacher "punched him, beat him, knocked him up against a wall, jerked him around by the ears, pulled his cheeks, and struck him with his clenched fist." Emanuel Hartman, 11 years old, of 364 East Eighth Street, a fellow-pupil, corroborated the Yager boy's story, and both said the treatment was occasioned by a little scuffling in the room, young Yager being the victim instead of the disturber.

The teacher said he merely "shoved the boy around a little," but the Magistrate accepted the two boys' version.

"This boy has been brutally, outrageously beaten," said the Magistrate. "If you [pointing to the teacher] ever raise your hand and strike a child again as you have this boy, and you are brought before me, I'll send you to the Workhouse. As it is, and considering the fact that you have been in this country only three years, I'll fine you $10, and you are lucky to get off that light.

"Corporal punishment is a relic of barbarian days. It is the utmost folly in this enlightened age to try to make a boy good by beating him."

BAKER FINDS NEW GRAFT.

Commissioner Says Policemen Were Making Cases Just to Get Money.

Police Commissioner Baker, speaking yesterday of an article published in a morning newspaper about the inability of the police to run down Black Hand criminals, said the allegation in the article was untrue, and had something to say about a new kind of graft in the Police Department which he said was being nipped in the bud.

"While I was Deputy Commissioner in Brooklyn," he said, "I discovered that a great many of the Black Hand cases were inspired by men in the Police Department. Their reasons were to work up cases, get an appropriation to run them down, and spend the money for other purposes. That graft does not exist now. Where we had fifty cases at that time, we have one now, and they are all legitimate cases."

The Commissioner said that since the return of Detectives Vachris and Crowley from Italy, where they went after the assassination of Lieut. Petrosino, many of the Italian criminals in New York left the city and a large number left the country, fearing that the detectives brought back information which might lead to their arrest.

Commissioner Baker denied that 700 certificates had been forwarded to him with information about Italian criminals in this country. He said that about 200 had been sent, and that they were being followed.

WHITMAN PICKS SECRETARY.

Clarke W. Crannell, a Political Reporter, Selected for the Post.

It was learned yesterday that District ttorney-elect Charles S. Whitman will appoint Clarke W. Crannell, a political writer on an evening newspaper, as his private secretary. Mr. Crannell, who is a Republican, has been an Albany correspondent for some years. He was born in Albany, and comes from a family socially prominent there. The salary is $3,300.

So far Mr. Whitman has announced only one appointment—that of Frank Moss to be First Assistant District Attorney and Chief of Staff. It was said yesterday, however, that he had selected the ten Assistant District Attorneys of the highest grade, though he is not yet ready to make public their names. Mr. Whitman expects to retain four of the Assistant District Attorneys who have been serving under District Atttorney Jerome.

MORSE LOSES CASE IN SUPREME COURT

Highest Tribunal Denies the Convicted Banker's Petition for a Writ of Certiorari.

STILL HAS ANOTHER CHANCE

Motion for New Trial on the Ground of Misconduct of Jurors Filed by His Attorney.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Supreme Court of the United States to-day denied the petition of Charles W. Morse, the New York banker, for a writ of certiorari. The result of the decision is to leave in effect against Mr. Morse the sentence of fifteen years' imprisonment.

The decision does not mean that Mr. Morse will have to begin immediately to serve his sentence in the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga. While the application for the writ was pending before the Supreme Court in Washington Martin W. Littleton, counsel for Morse, obtained an amendment to the mandate of the Circuit Court of Appeals in this city, by which the Circuit Court may entertain a motion by Mr. Morse for a new trial. This was done on the ground that during the trial that resulted in Mr. Morse's conviction the jurors in the case were not properly guarded by the United States Marshals in charge of them, and that one or two of the jurymen indulged to excess in intoxicating liquors.

At the same time the Circuit Court of Appeals permitted the motion for a new trial to be made to the lower court it also extended the stay of the filing of its mandate to include a period of ten days after the Supreme Court in Washington had passed upon the application for a writ of certiorari.

Mr. Littleton filed yesterday afternoon in the Clerk's office of the United States Circuit Court in this city a notice for a new trial for Mr. Morse, the motion being returnable next Friday. Mr. Littleton said when filing his motion that it was not necessary to wait for the expiration of the ten days' additional stay granted by the Circuit Court of Appeals to make the application for the new trial. The motion, it was explained, may be heard next Friday, but the impression is that it will not be heard before next week.

It was thirteen months to the day yesterday since Mr. Morse was sentenced to prison for misapplication of the funds of the National Bank of North America. Alfred H. Curtis, Morse's codefendant, was also found guilty, but received a recommendation for mercy and his freedom was granted. Both the court and the prosecution expressed the opinion that Curtis was only a tool of Morse's in the mismanagement of the bank's affairs.

In sentecing Morse thirteen months ago Judge Hough, who heard the case, said that, as is nearly always true in bank fraud cases, "a conviction is for a criminal illegality incident to a larger general scheme.

"That scheme," he added, "was to use the bank and the depositors' money therein for his own special speculative purposes. If such schemes, when resulting even in incidental crimes, did not entail severe punishment for crime, the public is at the mercy of adventurers rich enough to buy up the control of a bank."

When Mr. Morse was seen in the Tombs yesterday he refused to make any comment on the action of the Supreme Court. He was not visited during the day by his counsel.

Later in the afternoon Morse was visited by Deputy United States Marshal Kumb, who served him with preliminary papers in a new suit against him in the United States Circuit Court by J. Kearney Rice, as Trustee in bankruptcy for the Consolidated Arizona Smelting Company. The other defendants in the action are John F. Carroll, George W. Middleton, Joseph R. Delmar, John L. Elliott, and Ludwig Logelstein.

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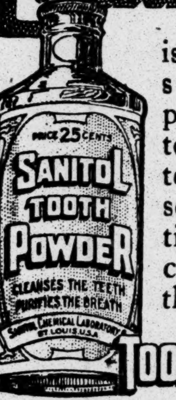

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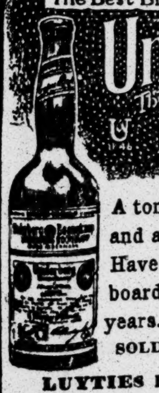

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THAT WAY IN COLORADO

And No Divorces or Wife Beatings Because of Equal Suffrage, Says Mrs. Helen Grenfel.

The members of the new woman suffrage society, which met at Mrs. Raymon Brown's, 294 West Ninety-second Street, yesterday afternoon, expressed themselves strongly in favor of women serving on the jury. They listened to a paper upon the subject of jury duty, as it applies to men, prepared by Mrs. Graeme MacDougal and Mrs. W. L. McKenny, and expressed their disapprobation when Mrs. Helen Grenfel of Colorado told them that the women of her State had been excused from that duty. The women have been asking their husbands for personal experiences and learning as much as is possible what will be required of them when they become voters.

"It is foolish to consider the question of woman's attitude toward jury duty until we know what that duty will mean," said Mrs. MacDougau. "The matter we have looked up has simply to do with the laws as they apply to men, and we have found that the point over which so much trouble has been made—that women, in case of having young children or being in any way unable to serve—would be covered, as it is for men, on the ground of physical disability. Then there has been a question of the class of women who might be drawn on a jury, and that is also covered, because the law in regard to me distinctly says: 'They shall be of good character and intelligence.'

Mrs. Grenfel followed Mrs. MacDougal, and after she had finished her address the women plied her with questions in regard to the Colorado women and the jury.

"The women of Colorado have not undertaken jury duty," said Mrs. Crenfel. "They are excused individually as the men are, I believe, and I presume the Judge had the question of sex in mind. You see it was all so very new to us, and there was so much," she explained, apologetically, "but I feel that it was a mistake."

"Yes, indeed, a great mistake," said Mrs. Adolph Marr, (Grace Filkins on the stage,) voicing apparently the feeling of the club.

Mrs. Grenfeld said there were many baby carriages at the polls in Denver and no divorces in the courts from women in politics.

"I have seen many mothers who have no maid wheeling their babies on the way to the polls," she said, "or their husbands are wheeling the babies for them. Sometimes there are as many as a dozen baby carriages outside a polling booth at one time. There is no drinking at the polls, no disorderly conduct, and it is as pleasant to cast a vote as to go shopping and doesn't take as long. Each woman votes in her own district, and there she meets the women she is in the habit of meeting in the street cars, at church, and the women she invites to tea. There is none of the difficulty of which people talk, and casting a vote is no more than dropping a letter in the postbox.

"About women in politics causing domestic unpleasantness I was sufficiently interested to ask the Judges, and they told me there had never been a case of divorce in the courts during the fifteen years we have been enfranchised due to politics—incompatibility. I mean there was never a time when a man has beat his wife because he did not like her politics. There is no record of a man's having taken to drink and become a hopeless inebriate because his wife was obstinate and would not vote his way.

"Do women vote as their husbands do? I think very often they do. It is very likely that in the same family their will be the same views; sons often vote as their fathers do; there are what you call inherited politics. People in the same family usually attend the same church, though it is not always so. Eastern women have been disappointed to hear that the Colorado women belonged to parties. They are just as likely to be partisans as men, though I think women are more interested in the personnelle of the candidates and more likely to scratch a ticket if they do not like an individual man or think another would be better for the place, as has been shown when they have elected their candidate in spite of parties.

"Colorado women have accomplished much more by the ballot than they would by 'silent influence.' I don't like that expression, which means nothing more or less than sex influence. We do not love the women in history who exercised silent influence, the Mme. Pompadours and their kind.

"Women who vote are more apt to look into matters of government, and surely that must be better for their sons. Our first bill that passed the Senate was for a home for dependent children, and it was passed without a dissenting voice. There were three or four women in the Legislature, but not enough to count, except as they explained the need to their fellow-legislators. Illinois women went to the Legislature nine years to get an industrial home, and the women of Massachusetts worked fifty-five years to get a similar home. I think I like the direct influence of the ballot better than the other kind. [Laughter and applause.]

"You will be disappointed in many things if you get the ballot, because your desires will be so far ahead of anything you can accomplish in a lifetime, but you will find your opportunities greater than ever before. We do not want to be unthinking children all our days. Responsibilities will help us grow. They are serious things, but would you lose the responsibilities of your lives? It is surprising how naturally men and women come together in our meetings—on what a pure and healthy basis. As you go on you will find more and more places into which you will fit. We have had a few women in offices, in the Legislature, and some others. I do not know of one woman who has been false to her trust, and the average of the women has been better than that of the men."

The next meeting of the club will be at the residence of Mrs. Arthur Townsend, 36 West Twelfth Street. The doubting Thomases of woman suffrage, it was announced yesterday, will be particularly welcome.

PROFIT IN 10 CENTS TO CONEY.

Smith Street Line Has Increased Its Surplus from $8,505 to $182,809.

The annual report of the Coney Island & Brooklyn Railroad Company, commonly known as the Smith Street line, made public by the Public Service Commission yesterday, shows that the change from a 5-cent Coney Island fare to a 10-cent one proved very profitable. The surplus in the treasury of the company on June 30, 1908, was $8,505. On June 30 of this year the surplus, the report says, was $182,809.

Previous to Aug. 1, 1908, the Coney Island and Brooklyn line charged a 5-cent fare on its six lines to Coney Island, except on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. On that date the line adopted a 10-cent fare for all days.

The question is still before the Public Service Commission, which promises an early decision.

Six-Day Race Spectator Dies in Fit.

An unknown man who was watching the six-day race in Madison Square Garden yesterday afternoon and got worked up to a high pitch of excitement when Germain started a sprint, collapsed in an epileptic fit and was hurried to Bellevue Hospital, but he died just as he reached the hospital. The body was taken to the Morgue to await identification.

DOUBT ABOUT A HUSBAND.

Mrs. Jaques's Brother Not Certain He Saw Spouse in an Asylum.

John J. Sheehy, referee in the suit of Dr. Schuyler Clinton Jaques against Alice Ann Jaques for the annulment of their marriage, yesterday filed in the County Clerk's office his report of the examination of Mrs. Jaques's brother, Capt. Chritopher E. Willis.

Capt. Willis was examined to establish the truth of Dr. Jaques's contention that a former husband of his wife, a George Joseph Clemmons, was alive in an English asylum for the insane at the time of their marriage. His first meeting with Clemmons, Willis said, was in 1882, when his race across the Atlantic in the yacht Dauntless, of which he was master, took him about the Isle of Wight. There he met Clemmons, to whom his sister was married in 1884, he said.

Dr. Jaques and Capt. Willis met in 1901, on which occasion, the Captain testified, Dr. Jaques told him how he happened to propose marriage to his sister.

"She came to my office as trained nurse looking for patients. She noticed that my furniture needed new upholstery, and I told her I had no one to look out for me. She measured the furniture for new covers, and inside of twenty-four hours she had them there. I thought your sister was the slickest woman in the United States and asked her to marry me."

Dr. Jaques's counsel asked Capt. Willis to describe his visit to the Cane Hill Asylum for the Insane at Southampton, England, in 1908. On that occasion an old man was pointed out to him by the attendants as his brother-in-law, Clemmens. Capt. Willis declared that he had no intelligent conversation with the man and failed to recognize him as Clemmons.

AN OFFICE FOR BAKER'S WIFE.

She Is One of the New Training School Board Appointed by the Mayor.

Mayor McClellan accepted yesterday the resignations of the Board of Managers of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School. They were submitted to him with the board's answer to the charges made in a report of the State Board of Charities on its investigation of the affairs of the institution. The Mayor announced the appointment of successors. Except the four members who act ex-officio, and are provided for by the charter, none of the old board is retained except Ephraim Byk, who was responsible for the investigation of the school. The new Managers are:

Mrs. William F. Baker, wife of the Police Commissioner; Mrs. Milton Reisenstein of 627 Macon Street, Brooklyn; Michael Murphy, Fort Hamilton Parkway and Eighty-fifth Street, Brooklyn; Joseph McKeon, 506 Ninth Street, Brooklyn; Arthur M. Taylor, 557 Putnam Avenue, Brooklyn, a newspaper reporter; Moses B. Schmidt, 556 McDonough Street, Brooklyn; Joseph Manne, Cortelyou Road and Sixteenth Street, Brooklyn, and Francis X. Carmody, 762 Westminster Place, Brooklyn. The latter is a lawyer and a lecturer in Columbia Law School. It is probable that Mr. Byk will be elected President of the board when the members meet to-day or to-morrow.

The retiring board denied the greater part of the charges of mismanagement brought by the State Board of Charities, but presented their resignations, agreeing with the State Board that the winding up of the institution would be advisable. The Mayor is believed to be in favor of this course, and the work will undoubtedly be undertaken by the new board and the boys distributed among various denominational schools.

FIFTH AVE. RESTAURANT PLAN.

Steward Offers to Take Over Place That Failed in Fifth Avenue Building.

A meeting of the creditors of the Fifth Avenue Restaurant Company, which has a restaurant in the Fifth Avenue Biulding, Fifth Avenue and Twenty-third Street, was called yesterday afternoon by counsel for the company, who wished to set forth a plan by which liabilities might be paid off on the basis of 50 cents on the dollar.

The plan was that Joseph F. Pike, the steward, should take over the restaurant, with its liabilities of $130,000 and assets only of fixtures, and should pay, after the first three months of control, $1,000 a month out of the profits. On the first month that there were no profits he could step out, and the matter would then stand as it stood before, so far as the creditors' chances were concerned.

About 100 creditors were present at the meeting, in the Cosmopolitan Hotel. The largest creditor was the firm of Park & Tilford. The meeting ended with the decision to appoint a committee of five of the largest creditors to consider this or any other plan.

The President of the company is Harry J. Berry, owner of the Gregorian Hotel. The building company, from which the restaurant was rented, is a creditor for $12,000. It has agreed, if the restaurant is turned over to the steward, to waive this debt for the time and to reduce the rent from $40,000 a year to $25,000 for the first year, then to raise it to $35,000 for the next three years.

Under the plan Mr. Pike would put some $15,000 into the business, wiping out some of the most pressing debts.

THINK 34TH STREET SHOULD BE WIDENED

New Improvement Association Members Say Business Will Make It Imperative.

FAVOR A MOVING PLATFORM

Report That A. G. Vanderbilt's Proposed Hotel May Be Opposed by Property Owners.

More than fifty property owners, business men, and others interested in the future development of the Thirty-fourth Street section of the city met yesterday at the Waldorf-Astoria. It was the first general meeting of the newly formed Manhattan Central Improvement Association, whose object is to deal with all matters regarding the development, protection, transit facilities, and other questions of interest to the locality from Thirty-first to Thirty-seventh Street and from the East to the North River.

The matter of the moving platform which it is proposed to install through Thirty-fourth Street as an experiment was discussed and a committee appointed, with Isidor Sacks as Chairman, to ascertain all facts regarding the project.

Roderick McLeod Cameron of R. W. Cameron & Co., which firm has just erected the big office building on the northeast corner of Madison Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, covering a part of the property under the old Murray Hill restriction, said he believed the moving platform would be a good thing, and that seemed to be the general sentiment.

The list of officers chosen by the Directors appointed at a preliminary meeting a month ago, who have since drawn up articles of incorporation which have been filed with the Secretary of State at Albany, was announced as follows: President—Isidor Straus of R. H. Macy & Co.; Vice Presidents—Roderick McLeod Cameron and Edwin H. Popper of Oppenheim, Collins & Co.; Treasurer—William R. H. Martin of Rogers, Peet & Co.; Secretary—C. J. Allen. These, with the following, comprise the Directors—Isidor Saks of Saks & Co.; George C. Boldt, President of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel Company; Louis Stewart of James McCreery & Co.; Charles H. Keep, President of the Knickerbocker Trust Company; Oscar Hammerstein, and Charles Stewart Davison. The Direceorate will be increased to twenty-one before the next meeting.

A general discussion for the proposed widening of Thirty-fourth Street on the Fifth Avenue plan followed. Some of the owners, among them one or two women, feared that if the stoop lines of the old houses west of Sixth Avenue were removed, it would so injure the buildings as to necessitate their entire destruction.

Mr. Cameron said that with the completion of the new Pennsylvania Railroad Station, if a sufficient outlet for the increased traffic was not found through Thirty-fourth Street, it might lead to the contemplated widening of Thirty-second Street, with the result that a heavy additional expense would be thrown upon the owners of property in that street.

Mr. Cameron had litigation over to the old Murray Hill restriction, but the injunction asked for against the erection of his building was denied. The only way to sow what the future business development of Thirty-fourth Street is likely to be, he said, was to force it. The widening of the street would be a step toward that end, but he intimated that further efforts would be made to defeat the erection of business buildings in the restricted section, which extends from Madison Avenue to Lexington Avenue, and 100 feet south of Thirty-fourth Street.

The new hotel that Alfred G. Vanderbilt is preparing to build at Park Avenue and Thirtyfourth Street is within this restricted zone, and there have been rumors that the residents would oppose its erection, but no court proceedings have been instituted.

A suggestion was adopted, however, that the Committee on Streets to be appointed by the Directors look into this matter of widening Thirty-fourth Street.

Mr. Straus presided at the meeting. Among the members beside those previously mentioned, are Frederick M. Davies, representing the A. G. Vanderbilt interests; August Belmont, Irving M. Shaw, President of the Chelsea Exchange Bank; W. F. Parke, representing the D. H. McAlpin property interests; J. Adams Brown, President of the New Netherland Bank; C. H. Ditson, A. Frankfield, Mrs. Mary C. Brown, Minturn Post Collins, Mrs. Robert Stafford, Mrs. David Watts, A. B. Ashford, Arthtur H. Kirkpatrick, G. V. Mott, Miss Mary P. Cooper, Copeland Townsend, William G. Wagner, Ovington Brothers, Herman Le Roy Edgar, Charles Howland Russell, S. Blumenkron, George Karsch, Michael J. Shanley, and Paul Halpin.

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"It was in 1906," said President Oler, "that I changed my opinion on the subject of artificial ice. That year there were articles and cartoons in the press of this city which so vigorously attacked the purity of our product that I can only wonder that those who read them ever consented to use natural ice again. As a result of this attack, there was a boom in the production of artificial ice, which has never subsided."

The defense contends that since the beginning of Mr. Oler's administration, in 1904, the methods of the American have been above criticism. In support of this Mr. Oler said yesterday that he had never renewed any of the restrictive contracts made before his inauguration, and that only seven ice concerns had been absorbed by the American since he took charge.

In response to the declaration made by the defense that Mr. Oler's administration had been completely divorced from those of John D. Schoonmaker and Charles W. Morse, Prosecutor Osborne presented the resolutions of regret concerning Mr. Morse's resignation that were drawn up by a committee, of which Mr. Oler was Chairman, and passed unanimously by the Board of Directors.

At the beginning of his cross-examination Mr. Oler said he did not recall any such resolutions, but he remembered and identified them when copies were produced by Mr. Osborne.

CHAUFFEUR RAN AWAY.

Left His Wrecked Machine and Senseless Woman in the Road.

Charles Huber, chauffeur for August Janssen, proprietor of the Hofbrau House in Broadway, while out with Mr. Janssen's automobile along what is known as the Middle Road, in Long Island, on Sunday, in trying to turn out for a passing automobile ran into a ditch, partly capsizing the machine.

A servant in Mr. Janssen's employ who was in the machine at the time was hurled out into the roadway, where she was picked up later unconscious, but not badly hurt. Huber also was thrown from the machine.

Seeing the woman lying unconscious and without waiting to ascertain the extent of her injuries or the damage to the machine, Huber hurried to the railroad station and boarded a train for Long Island City. Later the wrecked machine and the injured woman were discovered by passersby. They took the woman to her employer's home at Great Neck.

According to the servant the accident was unavoidable, for Huber was compelled to cut close to the ditch to escape an automobile from an opposite direction, which was going along at a high rate of speed.

It is thought that fright drove Huber away from the scene of the accident, although Mr. Janssen says he wants him to return.

COURT WANTS LE GALLIENNE.

Lawyers Seek to Examine Poet on Judgment Obtained by a Grocer.

Richard Le Gallienne, the poet, is sought for examination in supplementary proceedings. oJhn W. Hughes, a grocer of 1,025 Sixth Avenue, holds an unsatisfied judgment against Le Gallienne for $27.67 for necessities supplied.

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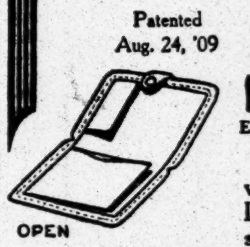

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BELASCO PRODUCES 'THE LILY'

Notable Audience Sees Adaptation of French Drama Dealing with Sex.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Washington first nighters filled the Belasco Theatre to-night at the initial performance of "The Lily," David Belasco's adaptation of the French drama by Pierre Wolff and Gaston Leroux. Mrs. Taft, her sister, Mrs. Laughlin; Capt. Archibald Butt, the President's Military Aid, and Fred Carpenter, the President's secretary, occupied one of the boxes. Postmaster General Hitchcock saw the performance, together with a large representation from the military and legislative life of the capital.

The drama is pre-eminently one of sex, but it is treated in a new way. It is a story of a woman who is cheated by social canons of her birthright to love and to be loved and who in her fall from innocence is applauded by an older sister who had given up the same birthright. Two features of the production stood out strongly. One was effective stage setting. The other feature was the cast. Nance O'Neill had the leading feminine rôle, and others were Charles Cartwright, Alfred Hickman, Bruce McRae, Aubrey Boucicault, Leo Ditrichstein, and Dodson Mitchell.

"The Lily" will play in Washington through this week and then go to Pittsburg for a week. After that it will go to the Stuyvesant Theatre in New York.

MAXINE ELLIOTT'S NEW PLAY.

Actress Plays a Simple Devonshire Lass in "Deborah of Tods."

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—"Deborah of Tods," a four-act play dramatized from her English novel of the same name by Mrs. Henry De La Pasture, was produced for the first time on any stage at the Majestic to-night by Miss Maxine Elliott.

Deborah, the rôle played by Miss Elliott, is a beautiful, simple-minded Devonshire lass, who is very wealthy, and who farms her own land. She marries an elderly London roue, whom she worships as her father's benefactor. As he has the social position and she has the necessary money, she is introduced to smart London society, where she is bewildered by the manners and customs of the city folk.

The scenes are laid in a Devonshire farmhouse, a north country castle, and a London drawing room. The production is elaborate.

New Shubert Theatre Opens in February.

The Shuberts announce that their new theatre, now being built in Thirty-ninth Street, near Broadway, will be opened in February. Difficulties in getting deliveries of steel needed in the construction have delayed the work somewhat, but it is now progressing rapidly. The girders for the balcony and the proscenium arch are in place, and the walls are well up.

"THE LOTTERY MAN" NOT A LONG CHANCE

Rida Johnson Young's New Farce at the Bijou Pretty Sure to be a Winner.

GOOD FUN VERY WELL ACTED

Cyril Scott, Acting Breezily, Heads Cast in Which Helen Lowell and Several Others Contribute Much Amusement.

THE LOTTERY MAN. A comedy in three acts. By Rida Johnson Young. Bijou Theatre.

Mrs. Wright	Louise Galloway
"Foxey" Peyton	Robert MacKay
Jack Wright	Cyril Scott
Stevens	Harry S. Hadfield
Helen Heyer	Janet Beecher
Mrs. Peyton	Ethel Winthrop
Lizzie Roberts	Helen Lowell
Hedwig Jensen	Mary Leslie Mayo
Hamilton	Wallace Sharpe

Odd, isn't it, how things run in streaks?

This appears to be the year for good farces, and even the Bijou Theatre, which so far this season has been merely a mortuary chapel for the hopes of serious dramatists, can now boast of a real, live, bona fide success. If "The Lottery Man," which opened there last night, were much funnier than it is it would be a record-breaker. It isn't quite that, but it is a wideawake farce, and for a larger part of its three acts is pretty certain to keep the average man or woman in good humor.

Rida Johnson Young, who wrote it, has hit upon a fresh enough idea, the characters she outlines are genuinely funny, and the dialogue bright and snappy. Moreover, a capital little company gets the piece over the footlights with full effect in almost every scene and situation. Once in a great while the playing—or is it the play?—lies nearer burlesque than farce, and once in a great while more seriousness in the handling would produce more positive effects of humor. But on the whole, the thing is interesting. In fact, "The Lottery Man" promises not to be a very long chance for either producers, playwrights or the actors.

"The Lottery Man" is known by that particular title because he decides to raffle himself off as a husband at "a dollar a throw" to any woman who will buy a coupon in a newspaper scheme that means thousands of dollars as well as wedding bells for the winner. The young man is a fresh—a very fresh young "journalist," (no "newspaper man" would have a chance to get into such a scrape,) and as he has borrowed $1,000 and sees no chance of paying it back he hits upon this plan for raising funds and—trouble. Of course, the minute the deal is on the girl he would like to marry comes along. Then, everybody who knows the pair, gets busy buying up coupons for the right girl in the case. When she hears of it—in fact, when she learns that the young man himself has bought some in her name, she is properly indignant. But to tell just who wins the young man, and to detail the complications that follow the publication of the lucky number, would be to rob future visitors to the Bijou of a large share of the fun. It will be no revelation of a great secret, however, to say that all comes out happily and they "marry in the end."

Mrs. Young weaves a pleasant little vein of sentiment into her story in the devotion of a sensible little mother for her son, and conveys a charming contrast in the presence of another mother, who also has a son, and who has a mistaken notion that her devotion to the "beauty doctors" will hold his affection, whereas all the time he is longing for a little of the real homely sort of mother love. And the dieting, banting woman, a decidedly healthy looking specimen, addicted to "transformations and tight lacing," provides the means to some of the greatest laughter in the piece through her association with a poor, weak, anaemic-looking feminine beanpole companion, who acts as the "dog" and must try the obesity pills and other remedies for corpulency, in order to assure her patron if they are any good. The stout woman has a morbid craving for anything in the way of food that she hears mentioned, and so the poor human skeleton must deny herself all luxuries—or what to her are really necessities—in order not to tempt the other woman. As a satire on one of the fads and follies of the day, nothing could be much funnier, and Mrs. Young succeeds also in conveying some good, wholesome philosophy, through the healthy minded mother of the fresh young hero of the piece.

The three contrasted women are excellently played, and those who recall Miss Helen Lowell's richly humorous characterization of Miss Hazy in "Mrs. Wiggs" will hardly have to be told how ludicrous she can be. As the downtrodden female in the present piece it is her own lips that "touch liquor," the result being a polite but effective "jag" of the sort that is funny without being the least vulgar or suggestive. And throughout she has the dry, acrid humor of real comedy, never once overdoing or underdoing, and creating a sense of sympathy underneath the laughter.

It seemed just a little strange to see Louise Galloway as anything but the ingenue, but her transition to the gray-haired rôle of mother is made most charmingly, and, may it be whispered, Miss Galloway now has sweetness, tenderness, and charm she has never had before. Miss Ethel Winthrop plays the faddist woman splendidly, making the change from artificiality to simplicity very agreeably, and looking not a whit less handsome in the gray than in the henna coiffure.

Miss Janet Beecher, having had the advantage of appearing in several plays this season—after all, failure of plays have this advantage that they make for experience in the players—continues to improve steadily, gaining in repose, variety, and charm. Last night she was both very handsome to look at and pleasant to hear, and she brought to the rôle of the heroine a simple, natural, appealing, wholesome charm.

Mr. Cyril Scott has not appeared to better advantage for a considerable length of time. Once only, in the last act, he took a scene in a key suggesting burlesque when obvious sincerity might have been better for the situation, but on the whole he played with clean-cut directness, freshness, and variety. And his acting almost always has virility and sureness of touch, with the saving grace of a sense of humor manifested naturally and easily. Robert McKay, Mary Leslie Mayo, and Wallace Shape did the lesser parts nicely.

MUSIC NOTES.

"Hansel and Gretel" will be sung on Dec. 21 at a special popular priced matinee at the Metropolitan Opera House. A ballett will be given in conjunction with the fairy opera.

Mme. Cavalazzi opened yesterday her ballet school, which is to train dancers for the Metropolitan Opera House.

GERALDINE FARRAR AGAIN SINGS MANON

Brilliant Only in Some Parts of the Role—Notably the Gavotte.

MR. CLEMENT APPLAUDED

Gives the Song of the Maisonette Exquisitely—Mr. Podesti, Conductor, Almost Drowns Out the Singers.

Massenet's admirable and thrice-charming "Manon," which was brought back into the répertoire of the Metropolitan Opera House last season after a lapse of some years, was again performed last evening at that theatre. In many respects it is the best of the prolific French composer's works. In Paris it is the most popular, and there were evidences from the attitude of the audience last night that it is likely to attain popularity here also.

For some reason the Directors of the Metropolitan have seen fit to eliminate the "Cour la Reine" scene in the version presented at this theatre. This leaves the subsequent scene at St. Sulpice totally unexplained. It also removes from the score one of the most charming musical numbers—that which follows Manon's entrance in a sedan chair and the ballet. The more or less celebrated "gavotte" has been transferred by this same process of rearrangement to the scene in the gambling house, where it does not belong, and where it only serves to interrupt the dramatic action.

However, "Manon" is much too pretty to be spoiled by a few omissions and rearrangements in its music. There were other factors in last night's performance, however, which contrived to work more serious injury to the opera. It should be evident enough by this time that Mr. Podesti should not be allowed to conduct works which require lightness of touch, grace, delicacy, or humor, in their playing. He waved his baton mercilessly last night, dragging some of the tempos so that they were scarcely recognizable, drowning out the singers so that they could scarcely be heard at times, and at all times furnishing a heavy accompaniment to the action on the stage.

The cast was different in many respects from that which appeared in the opera last season, when Mr. Caruso and Mr. Scotti were heard. It doubtless was the desire of the management to put French singers into the rôles.

Mr. Clement made his first appearance at the Metropolitan, beyond two Sunday night concerts, in the rôle of Des Grieux. In Paris it is considered that he approaches the heights of this part, and it must be said that much of his singing in it entitles him to a plane of consideration much higher than his Werther.

The song of the Maisonette in the second act was given exquisitely. Such singing is seldom heard at the Metropolitan nowadays. The phrasing, tone, and general finish approached perfection. In other parts of the opera he was less satisfactory. When he forces his tones, as he does in the more dramatic passages, his voice acquires a disagreeable tremolo and his use of falsetto is much too frequent to be pleasant to American ears. He evidently made a good impression on the audience, which applauded all his efforts.

Mr. Dutilloy was wholly incompetent as Lescaut. The voice of the prompter was often heard on the stage when Mr. de Segurola was in sight.

Miss Farrar again sang the part of Manon, some of it brilliantly, notably the gavotte; some of it very well indeed, and other parts quite badly. Her intonation was none too perfect at the beginning, but by the time her adieu to the "Little Table" was reached, she was more in control of her voice. In the St. Sulpice scene she again offended sensitive ears. The remainder of the cast was adequate. The settings were the same which were used last season.

"TOSCA" AGAIN AT MANHATTAN

Mme. Carmen Melis Appears as the Heroine in Puccini's Opera.

"Tosca" was given again last evening at the Manhattan Opera House, with the same cast as that which co-operated in the first production of the opera this season a few days ago. Of these all except Mme. Carmen Mélis were heard last season, and give an exceptionally good performance—Mr. Renaud and Mr. Zenatello especially in the leading men's parts, and Mr. Gilibert who makes the subsidiary one of the sacristan a delightful character study.

Mme. Mélis is a striking and most attractive figure as the heroine, of dark Southern beauty and litheness. Her voice is powerful and penetrating. In passages of mezzo-forte it has its most pleasing quality, and then it is not without warm and expressive tones. When she calls upon it for greater power it takes on a certain hardness and a rougher quality, especially when she uses it in the somewhat explosive manner from which her singing is not free. She delivered some of the more melodic passages of Puccini's music effectively.

Her personal appearance on the stage is a large factor in her favor in the impersonation of Tosca. Her acting shows skill and command of technical routine, but it is scarcely convincing in this part, which needs much versatility and temperamental force in the first act, and a subtle intensity in the second, none of which Mme. Mélis quite reached. She again made a considerable impression on the audience, and was the recipient of much applause.

Mr. de la Fuente conducted; the performance in his hands was a somewhat rude and rough reading of the score.

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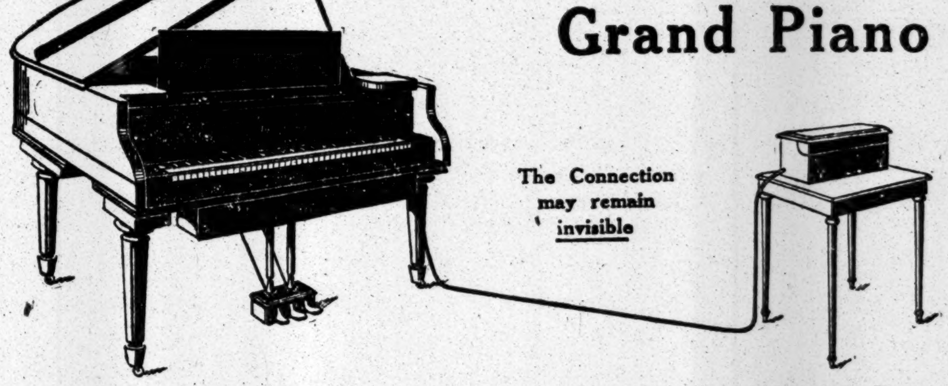
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WINONA AND WASHINGTON.

Is it true, then, that the insurgent Republicans have lost that high courage that sustained them through their long fight against the Aldrich-Payne tariff? Are they, too, now persuaded that it is the "best" tariff we can hope to get? Will they during the session just now opened condone the broken pledge of the party, and forget their own pledge to keep up the fight until the wrong was righted? But a few weeks ago all the West resounded with their vociferous proclamations that the shackles that bind the party to the protected "interests" and others were to be wrenched asunder, the tyranny of CANNON was to be ended, the control of ALDRICH shattered. And now we hear that their noble indignation is to degenerate into an "amusing" war of pinpricks against the Speaker, that nothing will be done, nothing really attempted.

Yet when the President at Winona praised the work of ALDRICH and of PAYNE, when in the very heart of insurrection he declared the new tariff was acceptable, and offered as his only programme of further reform a series of inquiries by the "Commission," meaning thereby persons authorized to inquire into the administration of the present tariff, they raged against that complacent acquiescence in accomplished wrong, and assured the country that when Congress reconvened, they would somewhat loudly sound the note of revolt.

Why is it, then, that we now hear only prophecies of peace? Has the boisterousness all gone out of them? Are we to hear again the old, old story told exactly in the ancient way, of Western uprising against tariff outrages in all the off years, that subsides so often as Congressional or Presidential elections impend into turtle-dove cooings of harmony and party peace? Is this the account that BEVERIDGE and LA FOLLETTE and CUMMINS and DOLLIVER, BRISTOW, NELSON, CLAPP, BORAH, CRAWFORD, DIXON, and BURKETT are to give of themselves? Have they been so terrified by the threat that they would be "read out of the party" that they are now willing to pay any price for regularity and the right hand of fellowship, even if that hand is extended in the name of the protected "interests" and monopolists?

THE MAYOR-ELECT.

Whatever may turn out to be the policy of Mr. GAYNOR as Mayor, it is already fairly plain that Mr. MURPHY is looking forward to it with more apprehension than confidence. Indeed, he would have to find in the Mayor-elect a peculiarly trustworthy, not to say subservient, instrument to compensate the Tammany leader for the gross miscarriage of his plans.

When Mr. MURPHY finally made up his mind to name Mr. GAYNOR for the Mayoralty, it is probable that he expected, partly through the popularity with which he credited his candidate in regions where Tammany was not especially popular, to secure complete control of the Board of Estimate. That expectation may well have reconciled him to some possible friction with Mayor GAYNOR, for in the main it is the Board of Estimate that deals with contracts, and it is on contracts that Tammany depends for its support. A complacent Board would have made a recalcitrant Mayor endurable, and there is very good reason for thinking that Mr. MURPHY rather looked to find Mr. GAYNOR refractory. Now it turns out that Mr. MURPHY is absolutely without control in the Board of Estimate, that the majority of the votes of the Board will be cast by his avowed and determined opponents, and that not only will he not have the cream of contract work at his disposal, but there will be a diligent, intelligent, and systematic effort to bring the entire service of the city up, and its cost down. Moreover, this effort will be made in the open. The old régime of underhand plotting and dividing will, as far and as fast as practicable, be done away with. So far from securing new sources of power and patronage, as Tammany had confidently expected, the old sources will seriously be curtailed.

This is the crux of the situation in municipal affairs. Mr. GAYNOR has had no occasion to declare his attitude toward it. He has maintained a judicious reserve toward the public to a degree that, it must be noted, is in marked contrast to the temper he showed at times during the canvass, and is gratifying to those who hope for the best from him. Certainly there is one fact of obvious significance. There is not now going on any such open parceling out of the "patronage" of the Mayor's office as we have seen in times past on the eve of the inauguration of a Tammany Mayor. Nor will there be unless Mr. GAYNOR shall show a disposition of which in past or present he has given no signs. As to his relations with the majority of the Board of Estimate, he has publicly declared that he desires them to be cordial, and he has strong motives for making them so. He is not in a position to oppose the majority with effect if he should wish, and he is in a position not only to co-operate with them, but to exercise the influence of a leader. With the baleful domination of MURPHY eliminated, with a Mayor and the Board of Estimate acting together for the best interests of the city, with the energetic and sustained use of the powers, express and implied, which have never really been brought into use for honest and efficient administration, substantial results could be attained, with extreme credit to all concerned. It is a prospect that, we should say, Mr. GAYNOR would contemplate with satisfaction and be glad to realize.

MR. CALHOUN FOR CHINA.

So far as his brief experience in public life indicates, Mr. WILLIAM J. CALHOUN of Chicago is likely to make a good Minister to China. He was intrusted by President MCKINLEY with the delicate and rather complex task of investigating the situation in Cuba previous to the intervention of the United States, and he performed a like work for Mr. ROOSEVELT in Venezuela in 1905, when the difficulties there were particularly acute. In both instances he is reputed to have shown sound judgment, coolness, diligence, and independence. He will certainly need all these qualities in China.

The trouble with the post of Minister in the Celestial Empire is that its affairs are usually more interesting in relation to other countries than in themselves. It is not so much what the Chinese Government may do or omit to do with reference to the Government or the citizens of this country that our representative has to watch, but what the effect of China's actions and omissions will be on Japan, on Russia, on Great Britain, France, or Germany. It is the avowed policy of our Government to maintain the "integrity" of China and the principle of the "open door," the former perhaps largely as a means to the latter. But the open door is an ambiguous phrase subject to different interpretations. Equality of commercial and industrial opportunity is about as clear a definition of its meaning as can be got. Unfortunately, there are foreigners in China, including some of our own people, who seem to think that opportunity may be measured by the use made of it, and when they do not do as well as others who work harder or with more intelligence, complain that the door is not kept open. On the other hand, there is some evidence that more than one Government is plotting for advantage. Thus arises the situation we have noted. We wish Mr. CALHOUN the utmost success in dealing with it.

OUR COTTON EXCHANGE.

The serial of the Commissioner of Corporations upon Cotton Exchanges has now reached Parts Four and Five, without signs of its conclusion. The installment published yesterday has exceptional local interest because the New York Exchange is compared so unfavorably with the New Orleans Exchange. The Commissioner says that the Southern Exchange profited by his counsel, but that the New York Exchange remains obdurate, taking no action, although its committee has deliberated upon the subject for a year. Perhaps it may think that it is as good a judge of its business policy as an official at Washington. It would be a pity to have good advice rejected upon any mere point of punctilio, and the Commissioner's report is entitled to consideration upon its merits.

In a popular discussion it is useless to consider technicalities with such nicety as the Commissioner. His finding substantially is that the methods of the New York Exchange reduce the trading in cotton at this point to a basis little different from that of a bucket shop. The result is that the price of "options" or "futures" drifts away from that of the staple. This amounts to the "promulgation and practical use of false quotations of a great staple. This frequently draws down with it, and away from the standard of true values, the prices which farmers receive for their cotton. The mental effect of these erroneous quotations serves to mislead the farmer to his injury in selling his crop." We confess that our anxiety for the ingenuous farmer is less than that of the Commissioner. We know no particular reason why the farmers should be protégés of his, and we discern no need of a conservator for a class of the community particularly well able to look out for itself. The farmer has before him every day the quotations of both New Orleans and Liverpool, whose systems the Commissioner praises. If the New York figures are inferior, and he prefers them, that is very much his own business, and the Commissioner gives the facts to show that he is attending to it with results all too good for the rest of us.

The fact is that while the Commissioner deplores the depression of price below true value, the price on all Exchanges is abnormally high, and is made so as much by the acts of the unsophisticated planter as of the wily brokers on any Exchange. The Commissioner cites records to show that 2,000,000 farmers are organized to influence the price of cotton as reprehensibly as possible. Education of acreage, "holding" of crops, reports of quantities as misleading as any regarding prices, all are practiced by producers whom the Commissioner thinks in need of Federal protection. It is all very well for the Commissioner to protect the planters against the brokers, but there seems need of protection of the consumer and the spinner against both.

The Commissioner's report is an excellent piece of work, and does him personal credit. Its beneficial effect upon the trade may be doubted. The subject is contentious as well as technical. Whatever the defects of the New York system, it approves itself to those who do business under it, or they would alter it. It exists side by side with the system which the Commissioner approves, and which he admits has defects of its own. We should be glad to see the New York trade reform itself, for it would be a pity to see the Cotton Exchange dwindle in importance, losing business as the Produce Exchange has done to the interior primary markets. This is a greater incentive to reforms than advice from any official. The dislike to seeing the Government intervene in trade customs, and matters of the market to which there are always two sides, is something apart from any defense of whatever evils may exist, which all would be the better for having remedied.

KINGS INCOGNITO.

In history as well as romance Kings have frequently gone abroad incognito. LOUIS NAPOLEON used to visit the brasseries of Paris in humble garb to learn for himself the temper of the people. Probably he learned little to encourage the delusion that the Second Empire was popular with the masses. History indicates that the gayety of that era was all on the surface and was rather hysterical. Perhaps it was the lesser BONAPARTE's fondness for incognito that OFFENBACH and his librettists burlesqued in "La Perichole." The Viceroy of Peru when he went about among the lower classes of Lima was preceded by his Ministers, who warned the people not to recognize him under severe penalties. When King EDWARD VII. travels on the Continent incognito it is considered good manners to pretend not to recognize him. But it is generally a good plan for a King to stay at home in the palace, if not actually on the throne, or to go abroad with a royal retinue, if he would have his kinghood respected.

Nevertheless, King GUSTAVUS of Sweden has a precedent for his reported frolic in the guise of a stevedore, revealed to the whole world within twenty-four hours, if the escapade is not pure fiction. His illustrious predecessor, CHARLES XII., was fond of mingling with his people as one of themselves, according to the novelists and playmakers, who often write as good history as the historians. GUSTAVUS is a very tall man, and otherwise of very striking appearance, and the Swedes know his features well. Doubtless he is strong enough to carry sacks of coal on his back, but that sort of theatrical trifling would be useless in the settlement of labor troubles.

The King knows all about the strikes in Sweden and their cause, and he has shown an interest in the industrial situation so intelligent as to make this reported opéra bouffe experiment seem very doubtful. The days of HAROUN AL RASCHID and PETER the Great are gone. Even Kings read the newspapers. According to the report, King GUSTAVUS has not only played stevedore one whole day, but intends to continue his amateur theatricals in other fields of labor. He advertises his incognito. No good could come of this sort of fooling, and the report is scarcely credible.

PORTERHOUSE STEAK.

Let us devote a little time and space to a consideration of porterhouse steak. The subject is worth serious consideration. Our friend who contributed a lively letter on this and kindred topics which was printed on this page of THE NEW YORK TIMES yesterday was mistaken on one or two points. The porterhouse which gave its name, according to dim tradition, to the steak was on this island of Manhattan, but it was not called a porterhouse because its owner was one PORTER. That may have been the name of a keeper of a porterhouse, even of the New York porterhouse of beefy tradition, but the porterhouse was named not for PORTER, but for porter. There was a time when all public drinking places were called by the uninitiate "porterhouses." Porter was a famous and popular drink. It was particularly popular in this town in earlier and halcyon days when FITZ GREENE HALLECK's "barrel of porter in Tammany Hall" had contemporaneous significance. Porter is a dark and strong brew of malt and hops, and the origin of its name is lost in oblivion. Some lexicographers feebly assert that it was called porter because porters drank it, but porters in the old, intemperate days drank anything that was drinkable and intoxicating. Porters were supposed to be strong and porter was very strong beer. Perhaps the name has no other meaning.

The true porterhouse served food as well as drink, and from the porterhouse came the porterhouse steak. Our correspondent is mistaken in his fancy that the porterhouse steak is not known abroad. The Englishman knows it well. The ungallicized London restaurants, where the word steak has not given place to entrecote on the bill of fare, serve porterhouse steaks by that name as thick, as well broiled, and as satisfying as any the old New Yorkers ever devoured. In the simple old New York of the rhyming "Croakers" and PHILIP HONE and the old Park Theatre, when fashion reigned on East Broadway, and the town at night was dimly lighted with oil lamps, the careless well-to-do found refreshment and stimulation in porterhouses, and the steak so-called was their favorite dish, but that either the steak or the name was of local origin we strongly doubt.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Justifiable, Though Lamentable.

That JAMES ALLEN was justified in firing the shot which killed CHARLES GUTHINGER over on Third Avenue early Monday morning will probably be admitted by anybody who considers the curious group of circumstances which caused the death of a man who had done nothing worse than to mistake the third for the fourth floor of the house in which he lived.

ALLEN, whose apartment is on the third floor, had been made apprehensive by a recent attempt to rob it. Awakened by the barking of his little dog, he heard a man moving about in the darkness, challenged him, and, getting no answer, fired in the direction of the intruder. The chances were a thousand to one that the bullet would merely scare a burglar away. By accident it pierced the heart of GUTHINGER, who had mistaken ALLEN's flat for his own, one flight above. This he could not have done had not his key, by another accident, happened to fit ALLEN's door, and he would have heard the dog and the call for him to declare himself if by a third strange chance he had not been deaf.

It was this combination of untoward circumstances that caused the death. It would be easy to say that ALLEN might have been more careful to assure himself of his visitor's identity and purpose before he shot, and no wonder he is overwhelmed with regret as he thinks of the life he took and the widow he made, but it is hard to see an alternative for what he did unless he had contented himself with lying quiet until the man whom he had good reason to consider a burglar had gone away. That, of course, is the safe policy in such cases, and it is the one advised by the police, but the householder who adopts it goes against a natural human instinct, puts private above public interests, and fails to perform what is in no small degree a civic duty.

For, on the whole, it is certainly well that burglars should not trust too confidently to the fear which they inspire—that they should as often as possible be taught that their business is one dangerous to themselves as well as to their selected victims, and that not a few of the latter can and will fight in defense of their lives and their property. It is, of course, a terrible thing to kill a man—a thing to be remembered with more or less of horror, even though he be a man whose life is forfeit in both law and morals, and the possibility of making such a mistake as ALLEN made should be kept more clearly and constantly in mind than it is. Still, the burglar almost invariably goes prepared to avoid arrest by murder if occasion arises, and one is under no obligation to assume that the stranger found in one's house long after midnight is a deaf neighbor.

A Promise Veiling Admissions.

In her attempt to persuade the striking shirtwaist makers to seek the ballot as well as higher wages and better shop conditions, the Rev. Dr. ANNA SHAW assured her hearers that with the right to vote they would gain the power to exact for their work as much pay as men get for performing the same tasks. That's as may be, but it is more significant than she realized, perhaps, that to this statement she added in amplification of it: "We will equalize pay so that there will be less inducement for men to hire women to do their work, and we will improve conditions so that there will be less need for women to go out to work."

The bearing of this upon the demand, "equal pay for equal work," lies in its implied admission that the pay of men and women for what seems to be, or is claimed to be, the same work differs because the work done by the two is not really the same—is not really of equal value. Other considerations than the mere performance of a routine task, when everything is running smoothly, enter into the determination of wages, and it can at least be contended with some show of accuracy that as a rule women already are as well rewarded as men for work that they do as well as men do it—are, that is, if they are also as willing and able as men are to meet sudden emergencies and unusual demands.

Certainly for work in which they are obviously superior to man women get better pay than men do, though the cases of that kind are not numerous. The stage presents the most notable of them, and in the rewards of literature there is no sex discrimination.

Experiments of a New Sort.

Modern psychology is taught by devices strangely different from those familiar in other days to the students of "mind." Then it was all a matter of opinion and argument, while now the classroom has been replaced by a laboratory, and conclusions are drawn from experiments instead of assumptions. Hence has psychology become one of the most interesting and exciting of studies, instead of the dullest of them all, and it is actually becoming of some use in the world at last!

The new methods were rather startlingly illustrated the other day at the Kansas State Agricultural College when a masked man armed with a revolver ran into the psychological laboratory, pursued by several others carrying the same weapons. There was a lively fight before the first man was overpowered and led away, and not till then were the students informed that the episode was one arranged to find out how many of the girls would scream and how many of the boys would rise to their defense.

The data secured have not yet been revealed, but doubtless they will appear in due time, as part of a learned article, and it is to be hoped that then the "material" used in the experiment will make a showing creditable to Kansas nerves and gallantry.

Hidden Historical Tablet.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I noticed while taking a historical trip through old New Amsterdam—the part of Manhattan south of Wall Street—that a tablet erected by the Holland Society at 73 Pearl Street, the site of the Dutch Stadt Huys, or City Hall, is covered by a wire-mounted sign of the Hamilton Press, so that only the outline of the tablet can be seen. As one interested in New York's landmarks may I suggest that either the Holland Society have the tablet placed on some other part of the building or that the Hamilton Press move its sign?

H. M.

New York, Dec. 6, 1909.

ALL FOR THE ASQUITHS.

Comment on Mr. Watson and "The Woman with the Serpent's Tongue."

From The Philadelphia Inquirer.

Mr. Watson has stooped pretty low when, to sell his poems, he resorts to this form of viciousness. And that he has done this thing for the sake of the sensation and the advertising that accompanies sensation cannot be doubted, after his confession.

Mr. Watson is a poet who has written much that is very beautiful, but a poet has no license to do outrageous things not permitted to others. Nor is a poet necessarily a gentleman. There are certain expressions used in England for offenders against the sense of propriety. One is "cad." Another is "bounder." Still another is "rotter." Now, which one of these epithets would you apply to William Watson, poet? Or would you apply all three—and then some?

Never Heard of His Like.

From The Philadelphia Record.

"The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue" is a pretty clever piece of verse, and most of us know some one who might have sat for the portrait; at least, the unofficial part of it. No great harm was done if people generally thought of Mrs. Asquith when they read the lines; a cat may look at a King and a poet may make verses at the wife of the Prime Minister—if he does not label them. But to announce in public that Mrs. and Miss Asquith have serpents' tongues is idiotically and insufferably insulting. To do this, not in his own country, but as soon as he has put the Atlantic Ocean between himself and the women he insults, adds a good deal of cowardice and something of farce to the offense.

We have never heard of a person in the least like William Watson before.

Will Make Friends for Mrs. Asquith.

From The Philadelphia Public Ledger.

One seeks in vain, in Watson's lengthy statement, for any justification of his conduct in publishing not merely what was said in a frank interchange of tea-table intimacies, but certain letters that passed between the mother and daughter and the poet whose verses they cordially commended. Mr. Watson has written himself down as a cad of the first magnitude, and if the "aspic tongue" of the Prime Minister's wife has alienated her friends, Watson's contemptible violation of the ethics of social intercourse is calculated to make few friends for Mrs. Asquith and convert her enemies.

Watson Needs a Censor.

From The Pittsburg Dispatch.

When the author of such a tirade takes care to point out by name the woman whom he attacks he does not commend himself to the American conception of good breeding. Especially since the sole specification—so far as appears in the newspaper reports—of a reason for this ire is in probably indiscreet and possibly unfounded sayings of a young woman not out of her twenties, we are bound to say that Mr. Watson is unfortunate in the lack of a rigorous censor.

We have never seen any reason why a poet should not be a gentleman.

So Fine a Poet a Cad?

From The Rochester Post Express.

Such conduct is extraordinary. It is almost unbelievable that this really fine poet is the cad his signed statement makes him out to be. The most charitable construction to put upon his conduct is that the notoriety incident to the success of his poem has turned his head and that he is not responsible for what he says.

Butt of Woman's Wit.

From The Hartford Times.

On his own account of the circumstances it looks as if Mr. Watson had been exploited for the amusement of two very keen intellects and had a right to be chagrined, but there remains the uncomfortable suspicion that although he is a poet of serious consequence he is not as good a gentleman as poet.

An Abuse of Power.

From The Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

William Watson, though not the laureate, is England's finest living poet. He is withal plain spoken and fearless in his utterances. But it will be a question in many minds if he has not permitted his indignation to sweep him beyond the bounds of propriety and of the chivalric attitude a strong writer should maintain toward the privacy of a woman's table talk, however obnoxious and uncharitable her utterances may have been.

A famous poet's sceptre may be mightier than a King's. A big man who will strike a child or a woman with his fist is justly despised; but vastly greater pain and indignity may be inflicted through the publication of a brilliant phrase from whose jeweled hilt may come the thrust of a keen and envenomed blade.

Very Wide Poetic License.

From The Buffalo Courier.

In this country, to print and utter such verses avowedly applying to members of the family of an official of great station, undoubtedly would bring up a very grave question of propriety, let alone any issue of infringement of the libel law. The poem is undeniably clever. It carries the theory of poetic license quite further than many would care to risk in our land of ostensible freedom. England of to-day evidently allows genius a very free range. Gifted as he is, had Mr. Watson existed a few centuries ago and perpetrated similarly effective lines, he would doubtless have stood a very fair chance of being hanged.

Won't Waste Words on Him.

From The Hartford Courant.

His vitriolic verses have gone out to the world in a book, to live as long as the book lives. He now informs all readers of English that he had Mrs. and Miss Asquith in mind when he wrote the verses—Miss Asquith especially. In a quite incidental way he insults her father, the Prime Minister. And his explanation is that the girl said disrespectful things about a political friend of his.

Really it is not necessary to waste any words after that upon Mr. William Watson.

Few Will Justify Him.

From The Evening Wisconsin.

The admirers of Mr. Watson's verse are many, but few of them will justify him in using it as a weapon in personal bickerings, especially when his quarrel is with women.

Pope did this sort of thing, it is true, but Pope flourished two centuries ago, and great changes have come over civilized society in 200 years.

Says He's No Gentleman.

From The Chicago Tribune.

The man who can expatiate on the petty scandals of a tearoom and dispute with women whom he has lampooned in his verse, revealing private conversations and correspondence, may be a poet, but not a gentleman.

We have frequently been told that our women do not take sufficient interest in politics, and we have pointed out to us the influence which Englishwomen exercise in the political domain of their country. From Mr. Watson's statement we should say that the members of the female salon in London know just enough of politics to be meddlers and mischief makers, but that is no extenuation of his bad manners.

Protection Against Annoying Men.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Concerning the subject spoken of by the indignant Southern girl let me add a word. I am a few years her senior and my profession makes it necessary for me to be out several evenings a week until at least 10 o'clock.

Never have I been spoken to nor in any way bothered by men. This I consider my very good fortune, as many girls of all ages are annoyed, though perfectly quiet and dignified in their manner. It has frequently been said that a woman is always put at a great disadvantage by a policeman if she appeals to him for help against a man. Is this true? From my experience of several years I should venture to assert that personal conduct and strict attention to one's own business will go far toward keeping any girl free from annoyance. I wish I might add for the credit of all men that this excellent rule always held good.

J. F. C.

New York, Dec. 4, 1909.

"OF THE SERPENT'S BROOD."

Indignant Flings at Mr. William Watson for His Utterances.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

As a loyal British subject, may I ask the indulgence of your pages in registering a vehement protest against the disreputable utterances of William Watson, English poet?

Mr. Watson, on his arrival here, refused to voice his opinion as to whom he considered the leading English poet for fear of being called egotistical; can you conceive of a more egotistical method of advertisement than his vulgar betrayal of confidences imparted at an afternoon tea at Downing Street and letters which subsequently passed between Mrs. Asquith and himself, and might not Mr. Watson's visit to America have been made compulsory after the publishing of his loathsome ballad, the home of his birth having become too hot to hold him?

I trust that he will have to seek another haven than the United States, where he may find congenial associates of the Serpent's Brood.

A LOYAL BRITISH SUBJECT.

New York, Dec. 4, 1909.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

THE TIMES's editorial comment of to-day in respect of Mr. William Watson (Great Britain's foremost slanderer of defenseless women) voices the sentiments of all those imbued with a sense of chivalry.

It is well-nigh impossible to conceive of any human being laying claim to being a gentleman availing himself of the expedient of publicly slandering two ladies, who had shown him favor, with an eye single to self-advertisement and the enhancement of the sale of his wares. It would seem as though the distinguished poet had irreparably ushered himself into oblivion; and that instead of achieving his life's ambition of becoming poet-laureate he might better fit the role of poet-lariat.

A. B. H.

New York, Dec. 5, 1909.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

As a daily reader of your paper, please allow me a few lines to register my chagrin and disgust at the initial utterances of a fellow-countryman. Whatever be the merits of "The Woman with the Serpent's Tongue," the interview in which a number of private notes and incidents were published for a general public was the grossest exhibition of bad taste that it has ever been my misfortune to realize as emanating from the mouth of an English gentleman presumably living in a representative society.

If the interview was accurately reported, then obviously Dr. William Watson curbed all the natural instincts of a gentleman for the sake of a petty notoriety and advertisement that it is to be sincerely hoped will be as much condemned as it will be short lived.

Allow me also to indorse the sentiment contained in your leader on the subject in this morning's paper.

AN ENGLISHMAN.

New York, Dec. 5, 1909.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The scurrilous attack upon the wife and daughter of the British Premier during a most serious political crisis calls to mind a Presidential election some years ago, when the honored wife of one of the candidates was also subjected to the most shameful and brutal insults—not, however, by one who had been a favored guest in her home, but by the illiterate and not thinking portion of a vulgar mob of voters and office seekers which had only the results of the election in view.

It is to be hoped that the British love of fair play will assert itself against such course and underhand self-advertising, and that the Upper House, and even the Suffragettes, who feel that they have grievances to bear from Mr. Asquith, will disapprove that most dastardly squib, "The Woman with the Serpent's Tongue."

A GRANDMOTHER.

New York, Dec. 4, 1909.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

"The Woman with the Serpent's Tongue," I think, has a general character and as such the types which Mr. Watson has so skillfully portrayed should not have been revealed at all. In that the poet made a mistake. The purpose of the poem should have been to "chastise" that type of women and not to bring out into the limelight one or two of them.

R. J. S.

New York, Dec. 5, 1909.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

We will be careful how we invite English poets into our houses!

MARY G. NORMAN HOLMES.

Westfield, N. J., Dec. 5, 1909.

ART OF MAKING BUTTER.

Farmers' Wives Have Abandoned It Because of the Labor It Entails.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Why blame the farmer for the prejudice against oleomargarine, and, so recently, for raising the price of milk? How many farmers do you know who, lacking the wealth, have the courage to pit their wills against the large companies to whom they sell? How many farmers stand together to raise prices?

Dairying is the chief occupation of Delaware and Otsego Counties, N. Y. In years past every farmer made butter as a matter of course. Now, it is safe to say, not one farmer's family in twelve does so, either because of lack of knowledge of the art of making good butter or because farmers' wives dread the labor for themselves. The few who do make butter do so because they are too far from the milk depot to make it pay to haul their milk. In that section oleomargarine is never discussed.

In to-day's editorial article you state that any one can get as much oleomargarine as he desires. Where?

A. F. C.

Brooklyn, Dec. 4, 1909.

American Rule of the Road.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In your account of "Change of the Rule of the Road" in France you ask whether the American rule of driving on the right side of the road was adopted by way of protest against British customs. The answer is in the negative. Our rule arose very naturally from the practice of drivers over poor roads in new countries having to guard against the ditch rather than watch for the infrequent vehicle coming from the opposite direction. As the driver's seat is on the right, he can thus avoid going into the ditch or getting off the road. If he were to keep to the left in addition to not having as good a watch for the extreme left a wagon coming from the opposite direction would tend to force him off the road and into the ditch. This practice, adopted by necessity, hardened into custom and is now law.

B. T.

New York, Dec. 6, 1909.

SOLILOQUY OF AN UNCLAIMED FLOWER.

If maids would wed,
Sages (and widows) say
That maids must fish.
So, to fish or not to fish—
That is the question;
Whether 'tis best to bait one's hook,
And, with a curl or two,
A plea to "call," or maybe "googoo eyes,"
(Though some commend a cook book,
Others, lots of cash)
Catch unaggressive man
And tangle him in Hymen's net;
Or not to fish—
To sit on shore
And earn one's living gleefully,
Sit by one's self right merrily
And watch the other maids,
With smiles and tears,
Mid groans and cheers,
Take off the prize their lines have caught.
To fish—to catch—perchance to wed—
Aye, there's the rub!
For if one weds what one can catch!
She may not wed a man,
But just a "lobster" or a "clam."
And who, for such a thing as this,
Would darn socks ever,
Be care-free never,
From calumny saved!

I. WONDER.

TRIBUTE TO GILDERSLEEVE.

Associate Justices Have Memorandum Read in Appellate Division.

Regrets at the retirement of Justice Henry Gildersleeve were read in the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court yesterday by Justice Giegerich. They expressed the sense of all the Justices of the Appellate Division. The memorandum was entered upon the minutes of the court, and it was ordered that a copy be presented to Justice Gildersleeve. It included these references to the retiring Justice.

"After having been upon the bench for thirty-two years he has elected to leave it to resume the practice of law.

"For a long period it has been our good fortune to be associated with him in the work of considering appeals, and we have thus come to have an intimate and thorough knowledge of his admirable qualifications for judicial service. His extensive knowledge of the law, his evenly balanced mind, without any trace of intellectual bent or bias, his broad acquaintance with men and with affairs, and his insight into and appreciation of the significance of the facts in each case, his industry and his painstaking care to do exact justice in every instance, whether great or small, all contributed to render him an exceptionally valuable Judge.

"More than this, he was eminently well qualified to act as a presiding Judge. While keen and watchful in scrutinizing the work of his associates and firm in his convictions upon questions presented for determination and ready to criticise and debate where necessary, he was nevertheless wholly without pride of opinion and his sole aim was so manifestly to reach the right result and not at all to support his own views that he always acted as a harmonizing and uniting force among his various associates who were from time to time assigned to serve with him.

"As a friend and comrade, this is perhaps not the time and place to speak of him. We cannot refrain, however, from a reference to the unfailing courtesy and consideration which gave companionship with him so rare a charm and to the deeper virtues of loyalty and helpfulness which made him such a stanch friend through all seasons."

MORE GIFTS FOR COLUMBIA.

Among the Recent Donors Is the Hudson-Fulton Committee.

A fund of $1,000 has been given to Columbia University by the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Committee, to establish the "Hudson-Fulton Prize or Prizes," for an athletic contest, to be participated in by students of the university. The gift was announced yesterday at the Trustees' meeting. In all, gifts of $20,350 were announced.

Mrs. L. M. Roelker's gift of $1,000 to establish the Charles M. Roelker, Jr., Prize Fund for students recalls the tragic death of young Roelker some time ago. He was a member of the class of '08, and a prominent athlete. His accidental death by shooting about a year ago created a sensation.

An anonymous donor has contributed $5,000 for equipment at the Medical School, and another anonymous donor has also contributed $5,000, to be applied for equipment in the department of electrical engineering. Clarence H. Mackay, Alexander Smith Cochran, and William K. Vanderbilt, it was announced, had donated $2,500 each toward the special maintenance fund for the current year. Other gifts are from George G. Heye of the class of '96, $600 for the department of anthropology, and $250 from George G. De Witt of the class of '67 for the purchase of Dutch books for the library.

The Trustees allowed the matter of Prof. Cushing's sudden resignation from the Law School to pass quietly by accepting without comment his resignation.

Though the students presented their thirty-yard-long list of names subscribed to a petititon requesting the appointment of Prof. Van Amringe, the retiring Dean of Columbia, as Dean emeritus, the Trustees took no action upon it.

AN OBSTINATE BRITON.

Suffragettes Stood 14,000 Hours at Premier Asquith's Gate.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

An anonymous correspondent of THE TIMES says that Winston Churchill lately received a deputation of suffragettes, but that the suffragists keep right on complaining of the Government's refusal to receive them.

Several members of the Cabinet besides Winston Churchill have received deputations. It is the Prime Minister, Mr. Asquith, the responsible head of the Government, who, ever since he became Prime Minister, has stubbornly refused to receive any deputation from the women. He finds time to receive deputations from all sorts and conditions of men, even the most insignificant.

Several hundred women, including ladies eminent alike for their philanthropic work and their high social position, stood at the gates of the House of Commons, holding suffrage petitions in their hands, for a length of time aggregating 14,000 hours as a silent reminder to Mr. Asquith that they wanted him to receive their deputation. When he still refused, they raised the "silent siege" and two of their number went and poured a harmless mixture of ink and photograph chemicals (not corrosive acid, as was falsely reported) upon two of the ballot boxes at Bermondsey.

They said it was their answer to Mr. Asquith's refusal to receive a deputation. It was a foolish answer, but what shall be said of the folly and stubbornness of the Prime Minister which drove matters to such an extremity? Mrs. Snowden says the members of Parliament, irrespective of their views on woman suffrage, are furious with Mr. Asquith for his obstinacy and want of tact in dealing with the situation.

I do not believe there is in America a single high official who would allow hundreds of respectable and much esteemed women to stand at his gate in sun and rain for 14,000 hours rather than allow a deputation from them to interview him for ten minutes.

ALICE STONE BLACKWELL.

Dorcester, Mass., Dec. 4, 1909.

The Pullman Porter's Whisk.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

"Sanitas" is quite right. The negro porter and his "whisk" is an unmitigated nuisance and a grave menace to health. Do the railway companies allow their porters these perquisites to make up for inadequate pay? If they are only solicitous for the public comfort, (as we well know they are,) why not install a brushing room, and have also a bootblack, manicure, and barber in attendance?

SAPPHO.

New York, Dec. 5, 1909.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have read the few remarks of "Sanitas" on that most dreadful trick of "dusting" and "brushing" on the cars. I am the mother of a large family, and every year, while going to and from the seashore, I always try to huddle my little brood into the passage to escape part of it. I am absolutely sure, and so is my doctor, that an attack of diphtheria, which almost killed one of my children, was caused by that very thing. If we women voted, that vile nuisance would have been stopped long ago. I notice it is always the men who get "brushed"—women generally decline.

SUFFFAGETTE.

New York, Dec. 5, 1909.

The Nation's Weak Neighbors.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

It is with a sense of relief that a neutral resident of New York City, who is not an American citizen and who has no special sympathy with Central American Governments, I can finally make sure that not all ideas of right and wrong disappear from the minds of Americans in view of practical and immediate interests, and that at least one newspaper, THE TIMES, dares to remind five million New Yorkers that the country to which they owe allegiance was established on a solid basis of which justice was the cornerstone. The incidents of Hawaii and Panama and the "Romance of American expansion" as a whole are far from forgotten by all nations which look back and not forward; and I only wish that this great Nation, whose generous spirit of youth I have often praised and will praise in the newspapers of my country, may increase the number of its achievements by avoiding one of the greatest faults of youth—the desire to show its ever-increasing power by trying it on weak neighbors whose chief crime is that of not being fully aware of the strength of their dangerous neighbor.

B. B.

New York, Dec. 5, 1909.

MME. NORDICA SINGS FOR LOOMIS CHARITY

Fashionable Audience at Benefit at the Hotel Astor for Annex of Sanatorium.

MME. PILAR MORIN APPEARS

With Her Company She Gives "O'Mat-San"—Miles Farrow and Andre Benosti Aid in Entertainment.

Mme. Nordica sang, Mme. Pilar Morin and her company acted, and Miles Farrow and Andre Benoist played yesterday at the benefit performance in aid of the annex of the Loomis Sanatorium that filled the new large ballroom of the Hotel Astor yesterday afternoon. It was a fashionable audience that enjoyed the performance.

The performance began with two selections from Wagner, the Prize song from "Die Meistersinger," and the Evening Song from "Tannhauser," played by Mr. Farrow on the organ, and then came a group of songs by Mme. Nordica, these being "Allerseelen," R. Strauss; "Liebesfeier," F. Weingartner; "Psyche," Padahile; "Mandoline," Debussey; "Tribal Melodie," C. W. Cadman; "Theme," A. Benoist.

Mr. Farrow followed with Boellman's "Suite Gothique," and then Mme. Pilar Morin and her company played Metcalf Wood's "O'Mats-San." Mme. Pilar Morin took the title role of O'Mats-San, the wife. O'Koto, her maid, was acted by Nellie Grant. Ethel Browning was the geisha and Yuki Yamakura was her maid O'Suku. Donald Mackenzie was the Hon. M. D. Basil Tollerton, the husband, and the geisha girls were the Misses Miller, Pauline, Maurice, Yuka and Brown.

The entertainment was arranged by Mrs. Richard Irvin, who is the President of the Board of Managers of the Loomis Sanatorium. Mrs. J. Dyneley Prince and Mrs. Robert Winthrop are the first and second Vice Presidents, respectively. Mrs. Frank Hunter Potter is the Secretary; Mrs. Moses Taylor, Assistant Secretary; Mrs. H. R. Taylor, Treasurer, and Miss Elizabeth Cockroft, Assistant Treasurer. The other members of the board are Mrs. James Barclay, Mrs. Clarence Hyde, Mrs. John Coster, Mrs. W. E. S. Griswold, Mrs. James H. Aldrich, Mrs. Robert P. Huntington and Miss Anne Morgan.

Among the patronesses who bought boxes and seats, and most of whom were present, were Mrs. J. T. Atterbury, Mrs. Edward D. Adams, Mrs. H. A. Alexander, Mrs. J. S. Auerbach, Mrs. H. D. Babcock, Mrs. F. McN. Bacon, Jr., Mrs. T. H. Barber, Mrs. Frank Carolan, Mrs. Ogden Codman, Mrs. Bayner Clarkson, Mrs. C. D. Dickey, Mrs. W. C. Demarest, Miss Dehon, Mrs. de Koven, Mrs. C. H. Ditson, Mrs. S. Barton French, Mrs. J. M. B. Grosvenor, Mrs. August Heckscher, Mrs. Dulany Howland, Mrs. G. G. Haven, Jr., Mrs. J. B. Harriman, Mrs. E. G. Janeway, Mrs. O. H. Kahn, Mrs. L. C. Ledyard, Mrs. Philip Lydig, Mrs. Edward Lauterbach, Mrs. L. P. Morton, Mrs. H. Fairfield Osborn, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, Mrs. James Speyer, Mrs. W. D. Sloane, Mrs. Charles Steele, Mrs. Henry Seligman, Mrs. James Russell Soley, Mrs. J. Hopkins Smith, Mrs. Henry Siegel, Mrs. Alfred Seton, Mrs. John B. Trevor, Mrs. Frank Spencer Witherbee, Mrs. I. Joseph Walker, Jr., and Mrs. B. Winthrop.

MISS LAURA V. WEBB'S DEBUT.

400 Guests at Ball Given by Mrs. Frank E. Webb at Sherry's.

Miss Laura Virginia Webb, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Egerton Webb, made her début last night at a ball given for her by Mrs. Webb at Sherry's. Four hundred guests were present, and both the second and third floors were reserved for the dance.

Several dinners preceded the event, among them being one by Mrs. John E. Alexandre, who was Miss Webb, and is bringing out her second daughter, Miss Marie Civilise Alexandre, this season, and one by Mrs. William A. Street. There were some thirty guests in Mrs. Alexandre's party and twenty in that of Mrs. Street.

Owing to the opera, the guests did not begin arriving until after 11 o'clock, and were received in the foyer of the large ballroom by Mrs. Webb and her daughter. This was decorated with American Beauty roses and palms, including many bouquets sent to the débutante.

Roses, particularly American Beauties, were also in evidence in the ballroom, and the balcony where Nathan Franko's orchestra played was banked with them.

Shortly after midnight there was a seated supper in the small ballroom and the forty or more tables where the guests sat were decorated with pink roses and other flowers.

The cotillion began at about 1 o'clock and was led by J. Henry Alexandre, Jr., dancing with Miss Webb. There were four sets of favors, which for the most part had been brought from abroad by Mr. Randolph, Miss Webb's grandfather, who arrived only a short while ago. Among these was a flower favor and one of various fancy articles, including pink and white paper balls. There were seventy-five couples in the cotillion. Following the cotillion there was a second supper for those guests who remained.

Among those invited to the dance were Countess Grey, wife of Governor General Grey of Canada; her daughter, Lady Grey; Gen. Porter, James Stillman, Prince Poniatowski, August Belmont, Ambassador and Mrs. Hill, who are leaving shortly for Germany; Lady Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas Sloane, Frederick Townsend Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald S. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. August Belmont, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mrs. John W. Minturn, Miiss Edith Mortimer, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Randolph, John Laimbeer Cadwalader, Miss Emily Coe, Miss Estelle Crosby, Mrs. Bacon, and J. Ridgely Carter.

Miss Virginia Murray, Miss Anita Peabody, Miss Gladys Bell, Miss Constance Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Low Pierrepont, Miss Emily Potter, Miss Anna Sands, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Satterlee, Mr. and Mrs. T. Suffern Tailer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Emmet, Miss Laura Emmet, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Dodge, Henry Coleman Drayton, Miss Drayton, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Osgood Field, Stuyvesant Fish, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Theodore F. Frelinghuysen, Alexander M. Hadden, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald V. Hollins, the Misses Howland, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Iselin, Miss Jeanne King, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Le Roy, Jr., Miss Alice Anderton, Alfred Biddle, and Snowden Fahnestock.

Of the 150 young people present they were for the most part débutantes of the season, including the Misses Olga Roosevelt, Margaret Rutherfurd, Ruth Adams, Leila Haven, Catherine Hamersly, Clarissa Pierson, Katherine Garrison Chapin, Mildred Poor, Justine Barber, Mildred Gillet, Marjorie Bourne, Elise Ladew, Wilfreda Mortimer, Joan Tuckerman, Catherine Parsons, Doris Dick, Mildred Townsend, Civilise Alexandre, Katharine Tilford, Hilda Holmes, Lisa Stillman, Elizabeth Love Godwin, Zelina Clark, Ursula Brown, Dolly La Montagne, Katherine Crane, Gertrude Munroe Smith, and Jean Roosevelt.

Mrs. W. Seward Webb will give a small dance at her residence for Miss Webb on Thursday, Jan. 6.

BAGBY MUSICAL MORNING.

Mme. Gadski, Miss Mero, and Herbert's Orchestra Applauded.

The one hundred and seventy-third Musical Morning, given yesterday by Albert Morris Bagby in the large ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria, drew probably the largest audience Mr. Bagby has even had since the inception of this fashionable series.

Mme. Gadski was the star, winning enthusiastic applause for her two groups of songs, including English and German airs, and Miss Mero, the pianist, also won sincere applause, while Victor Herbert's orchestra was the third attractive feature.

Seats were erected at the back of the ballroom, and the glass doors between the ballroom and conservatory having been removed, boxes were also placed there, and every bit of the remainder of the floor was filled with chairs.

Next Monday Miss Emmy Destinn, Pasquale Amato, and Joseph Malkin will be the attractions.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Mrs. Anderson Fowler will give a reception to-day at 60 East Sixty-eighth Street. Miss Fowler and Miss Dorothy Fowler will receive with her.

M. and Mme. Lucien Vallois have arrived from Dinard and are the guests of Mrs. James H. Stebbins at 80 Madison Avenue.

The annual Charity Ball in aid of the Nursery and Childs' Hospital will take place on Tuesday evening, Jan. 25, at the Waldorf-Astoria. Mrs. Robert Nicoll is President of the Press Committee. George Hammond Sullivan is Chairman of the Floor Committee.

Mrs. Berkeley Mostyn and her daughter, Miss Alexandra H. Stevens, are at 55 East Seventy-sixth Street for the Winter.

Miss Antoinette Heckscner has been spending several days in Philadelphia.

To-day's events include a bridge party by Mrs. Henry Siegel at her residence, 26 East Eighty-second Street.

The large bridge in aid of the "Night Camp," a charitable institution, will be given to-day at the Plaza.

A fair in aid of sick nurses is to be held by the Alumnae Association of the New York Post-Graduate Hospital on Thursday and Friday at the Waldorf-Astoria. Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay, Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Mrs. Benjamin Yoakum, Mrs. Fordyce Barker, and others are patronesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Elliman have taken the house 41 West Fifty-first Street, for the Winter, and have moved in from their country place at Highwood, N. J.

Mrs. John E. Alexandre will give a large dinner on Jan. 6 at her residence, 26 West Thirty-eighth Street.

Mrs. Henry R. Hoyt will give the first of two small dances this evening at her residence, 2 East Seventy-fifth Street, for her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Hoyt.

There was an author's dialect reading yesterday by Mrs. Ruth McEnery Stuart at the home of Eugene Delano, 12 Washington Square North, for the benefit of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Union Settlement.

Mrs. Ottamar H. Van Norden will give a large luncheon to-day at Sherry's.

Miss Ada Phipps will give a reception this afternoon at 279 Lexington Avenue for Miss Alice Gouverneur Kortright.

Mrs. William A. Putnam of 70 Willow Street, Brooklyn, is giving a reception this afternoon for Miss Margaret Vryling Putnam.

Mrs. George Francis Crane of 16 West Twelfth Street will entertain this afternoon at her residence with a reception for her daughter, Miss Katherine Crane.

There will be a bridge tournament this evening at the Plaza for the benefit of the tuberculosis fund.

Miss Dorothy Frances Smith will make her début this afternoon at a reception given by her mother, Mrs. George Campbell Smith.

Reception for Miss Marie Seton.

Mrs. Alfred Seton gave a reception yesterday afternoon at her home, 18 West Thirty-eighth Street, to introduce her daughter, Miss Marie Seton. Mrs. Seton was Miss Barbey, and Alfred Seton is a member of the well-known Seton family. The hundredth anniversary of Mother Seton's establishing the Sisters of Charity in America was celebrated at St. Patrick's Cathedral during the past week. Miss Seton is a granddaughter of the late Pierre Lorillard, and makes her home in Tuxedo Park and New York. Mrs. Seton will give a dance for her daughter later in the month at Delmonico's.

Receiving with Mrs. Seton and her daughter, who was in a gown of white satin, were the Misses Anzonella and Rose Kane, Emily Rushmore, Alice Andres, Allison Swan, Katherine Williams, Elizabeth Hoyt, Justine Barber, and Margaret Townsend. Following the reception there was a dinner for the receiving party.

Miss Louise Munroe a Debutante.

Miss Louise Munroe made her début yesterday afternoon at a reception given by her mother, Mrs. Henry Whitney Munroe, at her residence, 34 East Thirty-eighth Street. Receiving with Mrs. Munroe and the débutante were the Misses Civilise Alexandre, Eleanor Burrill, Leila Haven, Lillian Endicott, Alice Kortright, Zelina Clark, Katherine Chapin, Frieda Pierson, Katherine Tilford, and Frieda Mortimer. Miss Frances Dickey and Miss Frances Alexander poured tea.

Miss Janet E. Richards's Lecture.

Miss Janet E. Richards will give a lecture for the benefit of the city history classes on "Clever Women of Colonial Days" at the home of Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, 25 East Sixtieth Street, on Friday morning, Dec. 10, at 11 o'clock. Tickets may be had from Mrs. B. W. Franklin, 44 West Ninth Street, and Mrs. Malcolmn Stuart, 45 East Sixty-third Street, at $2 each.

Miss Fargo's Engagement Denied.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Fargo deny the reported engagement, the announcement of which was not authorized by them, of their daughter, Miss Clara Fargo, to Frederick T. Frelinghuysen. Miss Fargo, who is still very young, is not engaged to any one.

NEWCOMB—SPEAKER.

Mrs. Thomas Newcomb of 750 St. Mark's Avenue, Brooklyn, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Helen Morgan Newcomb, to John Starin Speaker of New York.

COUNTRY FAIR ON ASTOR ROOF

Society of New England Women Also to Hold a "Singing School."

An old-fashioned country fair will be held on the roof of the Hotel Astor, beginning this afternoon and lasting until Wednesday night, under the auspices of the National Society of New England Women. Shocks of corn for a husking bee, immense pumpkins, and all sorts of preserves and jellies were being placed in position yesterday.

One of the principal features of the fair will be a "singing schools," in which many prominent New England women in this city will take part and sing old-time songs. This feature, as well as "ye old dances" such as Lady Walpole's reel, will be given in a scenic Town Hall, which has been erected.

Among the side lines to tempt the patrons and remind the visitor of old times will be a kitchen, where home-made dishes will be served, and pumpkin pie will be baked right on the spot. There will also be a garden of flowers of grandmother days, and sweet cider will flow.

Prizes will be given to winners in the garden truck, dairy products, and handy or fancy work exhibitions. There will also be seen a side show of animals, and for a small price of admission the visitor may gaze upon all the known animals in the world, represented by wooden toys.

Among those active in the arrangement of the fair are Mrs. Thomas A. Fair, President of the society; Mrs. James Ward Warren, Mrs. Augustis C. Dexter, Miss Bertha Hayes, and Mrs. L. F. Barry.

GEORGE LASHWOOD APPEARS.

English Singer Interrupts His Lyrics with a Patter to Audience.

George Lashwood, an English music hall singer, billed as the "modern Beau Brummel," made his first American appearance at the Plaza Music Hall yesterday afternoon. Mr. Lashwood wears several different costumes, to fit the subjects of his songs, and introduces and interrupts his lyrics with a little patter directed at the audience. One of his selections is called "Sea, Sea, Sea," and is a somewhat realistic description of seasickness. Others that he sings are "Another Fellow Looks Like Me," "Send for the Police," and "In the Twilight." The latter he attempts to have the audience sing with him.

Last night the theatre contained representatives of the Sons of St. George, who were generous in their applause.

Other entertainers on the bill were the Four Mortons, Nellie Wallace, Nicholson and Morton, Ralph Johnstone, the Austin brothers, Harry Jolson, Tyler and Burton, and Blanche Sloan.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Taylor Granville in "The Star Bout," is at the Bronx Theatre this week, and the other entertainers are Ward and Curran, Mike S. Whallen, Marion Murray and company, Stepp, Mehlenger and King, Selma Braatz, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hughes, and Mareena, Nevaro, and Mareena.

Cecelia Loftus heads the bill at the American Music Hall this week. The rest of the programme contains Sidney Drew, Montgomery and Moore, Brenck's Parisian models, Kate Elinore, Dorsch and Russell, Mlle. Lorette, and Zimmer.

Harry Lauder, at the head of his own company, is at the West End Theatre this week. Those who assist him in the entertainment are Edith Helena, W. E. Whittle, Saker Midgley and Gertie Carlisle, Almont and Dumont, the seven Perezoffs, the three Richardinis, and Dill and Ward.

Heading the bill at the Colonial Theatre yesterday was Valeska Suratt in "The Belle of the Boulevard." Others on the programme were Mlle. Dazie in "L'Amour de l'Artist," the Pianophiends, Goldberg, the cartoonist; the Farrell Taylor trio, Andy Rice, the four voices, and the three Hanlons.

At Keith & Proctor's Fifth Avenue Theatre the programme consisted of Mme. Camille Ober, James and Sadie Leonard and Richard Anderson, the musical Cuttys, the Bonhair troupe, Imro Fox, Helen Grantley, Dooley and Sayles, Orth and Fern, and Paul Le Croix.

Billy B. Van and the Beaumont sisters are at the head of the bill at the Alhambra, and the other acts are Lovenberg's operatic festival, Edna Luby, Stuart, the "male Patti"; Frank Morrell, the Artois brothers, Harry Breen, and Ben Breyer and brother.

Hammerstein's bill at the Victoria contains Albert Chevalier as headliner, and Flo Irwin and company, James Thornton, "The" quartet, McDonald, Ellis McKenna and Dunn, Cook and Lorrenz, Hal Davis and Inez Macauley, Gillihan and Murray, and the Great Ringling.

"The Follies of 1909" with Eva Tanguay as a featured member of the company, is the attraction at the Grand Opera House this week.

Henrietta Crosman in "Sham" began a week's engagement at the Academy of Music last night. Many of the company that played in the piece last year were seen in their original roles.

At the Orpheum Theatre in Brooklyn Percy Williams if offering this week Annette Kellermann, Edmund Stanley and company, Hoey and Lee, Harry Tighe and company, Linton and Laurence, A. O. Duncan, the Makarenko troupe, and the Kemps.

At the burlesque theatres the offerings are Fred Irwin's "Gibson Girls," at the Murray Hill; the Hastings Show, at the Olympic; "The Queens of the Jardin de Paris," at Hurtig & Seamon's Music Hall, and the Rentz-Santley company at the Metropolis.

A. H. Woods has obtained the rights to Paul M. Potter's play, "The Dancer of Cairo," and also a comedy by Stephen Ivan Szinnyey entitled "The Two Mrs. Trumps."

"His Name on the Door" opened the season of the Garden Theatre last night. Since the play was produced at the Bijou there have been several changes in the dialogue, and Orme Caldara has returned to the role of Frederick Brent, which he originated.

Special music for the American production of "Dick Whittington" is being composed by Manuel Klein, musical director of the Hippodrome.

Ruth St. Denis became a regular evening attraction at the Hudson Theatre last night, and she will continue through the week, giving her Hindoo dances evenings and Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Next week Miss St. Denis will begin a tour of the United States, opening first at Chicago.

Willette Kershaw has been engaged as leading woman for Frank Keenan in "The Heights."

Forbes-Robertson has arranged to give a special matinee of "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" at Maxine Elliott's Theatre on Dec. 14, to which he will invite the actors playing in New York. He requests that applications for admission be made in writing.

SIX SONS THE PALLBEARERS.

33 Grandchildren Each Lay a Flower on Coffin of the Rev. Dr. Yarrow.

Special to The New York Times.

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Dec. 6.—Thirty-three grandchildren each laid a chrysanthemum and one great-grandchild laid a rose on the coffin of the Rev. Dr. William H. Yarrow, known as "the Grand Old Man of the Primitive Methodist Church of America," at his funeral in the Congregational Church, Verona, this afternoon. Six sons of the dead minister, three of tem clergymen, acted as pallbearers at the funeral.

Dr. Yarrow's death, which followed an operation at the Mountainside Hospital, occurred last Wednesday. His death was the first in his family of thirteen in thirty-three years. Dr. Yarrow was 80 years old.

All the sons and daughters, except Miss Yarrow, who is in Honolulu, and the son who is a missionary of the American Board in Turkey, were present at the funeral.

ON THE ATLANTIC HIGHWAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Stilson Hutchins Arrive on the Lapland.

The transatlantic steamships arriving yesterday and some of their passengers were:

LAPLAND (Antwerp)—Max Ackerman, Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Baum, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Bosworth, Capt. C. C. Cassidy, W. B. Dawson, Capt. Charles Du Pont-Coudert, Mrs. Charles L. Fincke, Mr. and Mrs. Stilson Hutchins, Warren Lincoln, R. D. L. Mohun, Lawton S. Parker, Mrs. R. M. Patterson, Mrs. F. W. Ralston, Miss A. B. Ring, Mrs. Lawrence Townsend, and Miss Everett Wilson.

ARABIC (Liverpool)—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Alton, Mrs. E. P. Cahill, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Griffin, Everett L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Kirkland, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Louderback, W. R. Peacock, Mrs. J. W. Pearson, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis S. Wandell.

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HOME FOR CONVALESCENTS

Will Says He Gave Fortune to Restore Health, and Not for Any One's Enjoyment.

The will of John Masterson Burke, who died of bronchial pneumonia last week at his home, 18 West Forty-seventh Street, in his 98th year, and who gave $4,000,000 in 1902 for the institution and maintenance of a home for convalescents, was filed for probate in the Surrogate's Court yesterday. It was dated July 9, 1903, and a codicil attached bore date June 7, 1905. It is understood that Mr. Burke leaves a large estate, but the petition which was filed at the same time as the will only puts his personal property at $10,000 and says that he had no real estate.

Mr. Burke was a wealthy bachelor and had no immediate family. To Annie Byrnes, a domestic in his employ for many years, he leaves $5,300 and an annuity of $300 a year, the principal of which is to revert to his estate on her death. By the codicil he also leaves her an additional sum of $5,000. To another servant, Ann Kilcoyne, he leaves $1,000.

To a cousin, and to fifteen children of cousins, Mr. Burke leaves sums of $100 and $200 each, and a clause in the will states that if any of his next of kin other than those named by him should prove their kinship to the satisfaction of his executors within a year after his death, they are to receive $100 each, but that the aggregate of all such bequests is not to exceed $3,000.

The testator leaves $2,500 each to The Mariners' Family Industrial Society at Clifton, N. Y., and to The Servants of Relief for Incurable Cancer, of which Rose H. Lathrop is President.

The will then goes on to say that Mr Burke has incorporated a charitable institution known as the Winifred Masterson Burke Relief Foundation, and that he has, by two deeds of gift, dated, respectively, June 25, 1902, and July 9, 1903, donated to that corporation property of considerable value.

Mr. Burke's purposes are thus explained:

"I am without reltives who are near to me or who have any just claim upon my bounty. It has been and is the dominant purpose of my life that the bulk of my estate shall be dedicated to charitable purposes of the general character of those set forth in the charter of the Winifred Masterson Burke Relief Foundation.

"It has been and is my wish that the fortune which I have accumulated shall be used, not for my own personal gratification or enjoyment, or for the mere personal gratification or enjoyment of any other person, but shall be used wisely and systematically to aid healthy, industrious, and thrifty persons, who are in trouble and unfriended, and more especially to aid and help healthy and poor who shall have been ill, and especially at the period of their recuperation and convalescence from serious illness.

The will states that all the residue of Mr. Burke's estate shall be paid to the Winifred Masterson Burke Relief Foundation, of which he was the President, and to its successors forever, "for the use and said purposes of said foundation."

"If for any reason," the will provides, "he corporation shall be unable or unwilling to take or use the bequests or devises," then the residue is to go to his executors, "to take and receive all the property and as soon as practicable pay over and transfer the same to the Winifred Masterson Burke Relief Foundation, or to a corporation of the State of New York bearing the name of Burke, to be established for the purpose set forth in the charter of the Winifred Masterson Burke Foundation."

By the codical the appointment of William Bayard Cutting as an executor and trustee is revoked, and Frederick H. Denman, by whom the will was filed, is appointed in his place. Another substitution by the codicil is the appointment of Francis B. Clark as executor and trustee in place of William Everard Strong, who died subsequent to the execution of the will.

Mr. Burke made a thorough study in this country and Europe of the objects to which he subscribes his fortune, and in spite of opposition on the part of relatives, which at one time was brought into the courts, he carried through his plan for the development of the charitable work. He organized the Foundation in his lifetime, but at his request the matter of carrying out its purposes was left in abeyance until his death. Now the full sum of the bequest, which amounts to more than $4,000,000, comes under the control of the trustees.

EMILY HUNTINGTON DEAD.

Conducted for Twenty Years Wilson Industrial School for Girls.

Miss Emily Huntington, well known in the charitable circles of the country as well as of this city, died on Sunday, at Windham, Conn., whither she had gone with an illness which proved beyond remedy. Interment will be at Norwich, Conn., from which town she came to begin her long and useful career here in 1872. She is survived by her brother, the Rev. George W. Huntington of Brooklyn, a nephew, F. D Huntington of London, and a niece, Mrs. Theodore Dimon of Utica, N. Y.

Miss Huntington was born at Lebanon, Conn., Jan. 3, 1841, and was educated at Wheaton Seminary. For twenty years she conducted the Wilson Industrial School for Girls at Tompkins Square and Eighth Street. This was the first institution of the kind in this country, or perhaps in the world. Here she made several pioneer ventures in industrial and charitable education, which spread rapidly throughout the United States, and foreign countries as well. The Boys' Club, with which the late E. H. Harriman was identified, was organized by her, and from that centre radiated the system of establishing centres for teaching cookery to children, particularly children of the poor.

Her "Kitchen Garden," which had a wide vogue, was published in 1878. Other books of hers were "Child's Kitchen Garden Primer," (1884,) "Introductory Cooking Lessons," "Little Housekeeper," and "How to Teach Kitchen Garden," (1903.) Under her administration of the Wilson Mission any poor boy could come to the Boys' Club, and any poor girl could come to the Kitchen Garden, and any poor mother could bring her infant for care while she was working. Her last work was in connection with the New York Cooking School.

WILLIAM METCALF DEAD.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 6.—William Metcalf, aged 71 years, President of the Braeburn Steel Company and of the Homoeopathic Hospital of this city, a distinguished engineer and author of scientific works on steel manufacturing, died at his home here last night after a brief illness.

William Metcalf was born in Pittsburg on Sept. 3, 1838. He was graduated from the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, N. Y., in 1858, and immediately went back to his native State to enter the steel industry. After two years as a subordinate he became the foreman of the heavy Rodman and Dahlgren guns at the Fort Pitt Foundry in Pittsburg. He served in that capacity for five years, and entered the trade as an independent. After working along for sixteen years his firm was taken into the Braeburn Steel Company of Pittsburg, and Mr. Metcalf was made the President.

Mr. Metcalf, besides his reputation in the steel industry, was known throughout this country and abroad as a civil engineer. At one time he was President of the American Society of Civil Engineers, and served in the same capacity for the American Institute of Mining Engineers. He was also a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the British Institute of Civil Engineers, and the Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania. He wrote several volumes on scientific works and steel manufactures.

Ralph W. Cavenaugh.

Ralph W. Cavenaugh, a capitalist with offices at 60 Wall Street, died in his apartments at the Plaza Hotel yesterday morning after a long illness. He was about 60 years old. Mr. Cavenaugh had been a resident of New York City for ten years, living the first eight years at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. Two years ago he moved with his wife and two daughters to the Plaza. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Matilda L. Cavenaugh, and two young daugheters.

Obituary Notes.

WILLIAM L. McGOVERN, a real estate operator, died Sunday at his residence, 2,085 Fifth Avenue. He was the son of Mrs. Anna McGovern and the late Michael McGovern.

FERNANDO BALTES, an insurance agent of New York, died yesterday at his residence, 200 West Eightieth Street. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Baltes.

JOSEPH J. TRAVERS, a retired builder, died at his home, 3,030 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, on Saturday. He was 63 years old and a native of Ireland. He left a widow.

GEORGE SULLIVAN WILLIS died Sunday at Rosewald, Centre Sandwich, N. H. He was in his sixty-fourth year. Mr. Willis was the son of the late Col. George S. Willis of Pittsfield, Mass.

HENRY PEARCE, one of Providence's most prominent brokers, died Sunday night at his home from organic troubles. He had been ill since August. Mr. Pearce's widow is a sister of Senator J. Bourne, Jr., of Oregon, and besides her, two children survive. Mr. Pearce was 71 years old.

The death of J. ANDREW CLARK, for thirty years a resident of Planfeld, N. J., was announced from Kngston, Jamaca, by cable yesterday. Mr. Clark went to Kngston two months ago in search of health. The body will be brought to Plainfield. Mr. Clark left considerable property.

GIFFORD A. NELSON, a son of the late Rev. Dr. S. Giffard Nelson, who was a well-known Baptist clergyman of Brooklyn, died at his home, 181 Woodruff Avenue, that borough, on Sunday. He was born in Brooklyn thirty-three years ago, and was a graduate of Columbia University. He was a lawyer, with offices at 206 Broadway, Manhattan. His wife survives him.

STEPHEN UNDERHILL, who has been in business in Manhattan for many years as a whilesale dealer in butter and eggs, died on Sunday at his home, 68 Eighth Avenue, Brooklyn. He was born in Newburg, N. Y., in 1840. He was a member of the Produce Exchange, the Mercantile Exchange, and the Montauk Club. His wife and two sons survive him.

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Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Born.

KOVENTHAL.—Dec. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Koventhal, a son.

QUINN.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Quinn, at 45 West 11th St., Monday, Dec. 6th, a son. Leicester and London, England, papers please copy.

Married.

BRIGHT—NICHOLSON.—Dec. 4, Sophia Nicholson to Alfred Bright.

Connecticut.

DANE—PIEPER.—Dec. 4, New Haven, Susan Pieper to Nathan Dane.

DESKIN—McSHERA.—Dec. 4, New Haven, Mary McShera to George Deskin.

New Jersey.

DOUGLASS—COLLINS.—Nov. 30, South Seaville, Edna Collins to John S. Douglass.

FREEMAN — CUTLER. — Dec. 4, Morristown, Ethel Cutler to Leon S. Freeman.

LOVE—SIEGEL.—Dec. 5, Trenton, Lena Siegel to Emanuel Love.

TOBIN—RYAN.—Dec. 5, Jersey City, Nellie Ryan to William M. Tobin.

Died.

ABRAMS.—At Brooklyn, N. Y., on Monday, Dec. 6, 1909, Hyman Abrams. Funeral from 1,263 Forty-sixth Street, Borough Park, Brooklyn, Tuesday at 1 P. M. Interment Washington Cemetery.

BALTES.—On Monday, Dec. 6, 1909, at his residence, 209 West 80th St., Fernando Baltes, beloved husband of Elizabeth Baltes. Funeral services Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 1 P. M., at the Madison Avenue Reformed Church, 57th St. and Madison Av.

BEARDSLEY.—Suddenly, on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 5, 1909, Samuel R. Beardsley. Funeral at 12:30 Wednesday at Little Church Around the Corner, 1 East 29th St., New York City.

CAULKINS.—Suddenly, at Detroit, Mich., on Sunday, Dec. 5, Sara Fairchild Platt, beloved wife of Edward Burns Caulkins, in her 35th year.

CAVENAUGH.—Ralph W. Cavenaugh, at Plaza Hotel, on Monday morning, Dec. 6, 1909, beloved husband of Matilda L. Cavenaugh. Funeral services at the Lady Chapel, St. Patrick's Cathedral, on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 8, at 2:30.

CRANDELL.—At New York City on Monday, Dec. 6, 1909, Mary Hodge, wife of Franklin W. Crandell. Funeral private.

CROCKER.—At his residence, 1 East 64th St., Saturday, Dec. 4, 1909, George Crocker, in the 55th year of his age. Funeral services will be held at St. Thomas's Church, Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 10 o'clock A. M. Please omit flowers. Interment at convenience of family in California.

GOODSELL.—At his late residence, 15 St. Nicholas Place, on Sunday morning, Dec. 5, 1909, Bishop Daniel A. Goodsell, resident Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the 70th year of his age. Funeral services will be held at the Madison Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Madison Av. and 60th St., on Tuesday, the 7th inst., at 2:30 P. M. The interment will be at the convenience of the family at Meriden, Conn.

GRUNNING.—Francesca, in her 77th year, on Monday, Dec. 6, at her late residence, 588 Classon Av. Relatives and friends invited to attend requiem mass, Thursday, 10 A. M., at the Church of the Nativity, Madison St., near Classon Av. Kindly omit flowers.

ISELIN.—At New York, Saturday, Dec. 4, 1909, Louise Caylus, wife of Adrian Iselin, Jr. Funeral at St. Patrick's Cathedral Tuesday morning, Dec. 7, at 10 o'clock. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

IVES.—On Dec. 5, after a lingering illness, Ralph Olmsted Ives. Funeral at his late residence, 117 West 58th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 10:30 A. M.

KLAUSER.—On Saturday, Dec. 4, at her residence, 51 East 90th St., Ellen, widow of William Klauser. Funeral from Church of St. Ignatius Loyola, 84th St. and Park Av., Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 11 o'clock.

Died.

KUNKEL.—Mary E. Kunkel, widow of John Jacob Kunkel, at her residence, 28 East 74th St., Monday, Dec. 6, 1909. Funeral at Frederick, Md., Thursday, Dec. 9, at 2 P. M. Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington papers kindly copy.

LEVIELE.—On Monday, Dec. 6, Josephine Leviele, beloved mother of Camille Leviele, at her late residence, 919 Malone St., West Hoboken, N. J. Funeral Wednesday.

McGOVERN.—On Sunday, Dec. 5, at his residence, No. 2,082 5th Av., William L. McGovern, beloved son of Anna and the late Michael McGovern. Funeral services from All Saints' Church, corner of 129th St. and Madison Av., on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 10:30 A. M.

MOONEY.—Entered into rest Dec. 4, 1909, at her home, "Maple Hill," Upper Red Hook, Ella Mooney, daughter of the late Edward and Laura A. Mooney of New York.

NELSON.—On Sunday, Dec. 5, Giffard Arthur Nelson, son of the late Dr. S. Giffard Nelson and husband of Bertha J. Hills, in his 34th year. Services Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 2 o'clock at the chapel of Emmanuel Baptist Church, Lafayette Av. and St. James Place, Brooklyn. Interment private. Boston papers please copy.

PEET.—Maud Banning, wife of Robert A. Peet and daughter of the late David Banning, on Sunday, Dec. 5, of pneumonia. Services at her home, 97 Hamilton Av., Englewood, N. J., on Tuesday, Dec. 7, on arrival of the 3:25 P. M. train from Erie station 23d St. Burial at Old Lynne, Conn., Wednesday, Dec. 8, on arrival of the 10:02 A. M. train Grand Central Station.

ROBINSON.—At Atlantic City, Dec. 6, 1909, Charles Forbes, son of the late Francis and Anne de Groot Robinson, in the sixty-first year of his age. Funeral private.

SALTUS.—At Paris, Saturday, Dec. 4, 1909, Elsie Welsh Saltus, daughter of Edward A. Smith, M. D., and Rebecca M. Welsh. Notice of funeral hereafter. Philadelphia papers please copy.

SERRA.—Dec. 5, 1909, Therese Serra. Body lying in THE FUNERAL CHURCH, 241 West 23d St., (FRANK CAMPBELL BUILDING.)

TEBBUTT.—At Niantic, Conn., Samuel Tebbutt, late of New York, in the 73d year of his age.

TITUS.—Suddenly, on Sixth Day, (Friday,) the Third inst., Mary T., wife of George P. Titus, in the 72d year of her age. Funeral from her late residence, East Williston, L. I., on Third Day, (Tuesday), the Seventh inst., at 2 o'clock. Carriages will be waiting at East Williston Station on arrival of train leaving East Thirty-fourth St., New York, at 12:20.

UNDERHILL.—On Sunday, Dec. 5, 1909, at his residence, 66 8th Av., Brooklyn, N. Y., Stephen, husband of Cornelia Underhill, in his 70th year. Funeral services at 7:30 Wednesday evening, Dec. 8. Please omit flowers.

WILLIAMS.—On Sunday, Dec. 5, 1909, of pneumonia, Mary, wife of Joseph Williams and only daughter of the late Joseph A. and Mary Little Jackson. Funeral services will be held at her residence, 533 West 142d St., on Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 10 A. M. Interment private.

WILLIS.—At Rosewold, Centre Sandwich, N. H., on Sunday, Dec. 5, in the 64th year of his age, George Sullivan Willis, son of the late Col. George S. Willis of Pittsfield, Mass. Funeral at St. Stephen's Church, Pittsfield, on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 8.

WILLIS.—Mary Burt Willis, wife of Thomas Willis, Grand Av., Baldwin, L. I. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WOODRUFF.—On Dec. 5, at Amherst, Mass., Rachel Miles Hilton Woodruff, dearly beloved wife of John P. Woodruff of Englewood, N. J., in the 37th year of her age. Funeral on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at Watervliet, N. Y.

BAKER.—Kate S., 429 East 144th St., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 11 A. M.

BOYD.—Samuel, 1,602 Crotona Park East, Dec. 5, aged 44.

CAVENAUGH.—Ralph W., Plaza Hotel, Dec. 6. Funeral notice later.

COBRA.—August, Dec. 4, aged 62. Funeral 241 West 23d St., to-day.

CURRAN.—James J., 614 St. Nicholas Av., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

DONNELLY.—Peter D., 2,051 5th Av., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 10:30 A. M.

EPPLER.—Maria, 31 Mulford St., Yonkers, Dec. 4.

FERRA.—Theresa, Dec. 5. Funeral 241 West 23d St.

FLYNN.—James F., 289 New Main St., Yonkers, Dec. 2, aged 32.

GERKEN.—Charles L., 284 East 148th St., Dec. 4, aged 35. Funeral to-day.

GORMAN.—William, 2,162 Lexington Av., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

GROUT.—John C., 257 West 73d St., Dec. 6. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

HANLON.—Anthony J., 947 Park Av., Dec. 3. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

HAUSER.—Bernard, 322 East 21st St., Dec. 5, aged 94. Funeral to-day, 11 A. M.

HIGGINS.—Francis J., 142 Palisade Av., Yonkers, Dec. 4, aged 33.

HUKE.—Charles H., Geneva, N. Y., Dec. 2.

LAPPIN.—Frank A., Dec. 4, aged 58. Funeral 171 8th Av., to-day, 2 P. M.

PALMER.—Emma C., Saratoga Springs, Dec. 5.

PATH.—Michael A., 304 West 145th St., Dec. 4. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

POLACHEK.—Henry, 2082 Broadway, Dec. 5, aged 50. Funeral to-day.

PORTER.—Etheldreda M., 502 West 113th St., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 11 A. M.

POWERS.—Ann, 588 Grand St., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

POWERS.—Ellen, 403 West 51st St., Dec. 5. Funeral notice later.

PRIER.—Andrew, Richmond, S. I., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

ROSSNAGEL.—Aug. C., Dec. 5, aged 52. Funeral, 340 East 86th St., to-day.

SIMMS.—Agnes, 225 West 44th St., Dec. 5. Funeral private.

SWEET.—George N., Hunter, N. Y., Dec. 2, aged 85.

VARIEN.—CARMON S., Yonkers, Dec. 5, aged 74. Funeral notice later.

WEHRMAN.—Anna B., 977 Summit Av., Bronx, Dec. 4, aged 19.

WHITE.—Elizabeth, Dec. 5, aged 47. Funeral 171 8th Av., to-day, 1 P. M.

WILTSE.—Roscoe E., Ghent, N. Y., Dec. 3, aged 21

YOUNG.—Mark, Dec. 5, aged 65. Funeral 240 East 31st St., to-day, 1 P. M.

Brooklyn.

BARRY.—David, 65 Duffield St., Dec. 6, aged 29. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

BECKMANN.—Charles H., 557 Hamburg Av., Dec. 4, aged 84.

CAHILL.—Bernard, 21st St. and Fifth Av., Dec. 5, aged 75. Funeral Dec. 9.

CHISHOLM.—Raymond, 1,154 Pacific St., Dec. 5, aged 39. Funeral private.

CUSSACK.—Bridget, 557 Clinton St., Dec. 5. Funeral to-morrow, 3 P. M.

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DILLON.—William, Long Island College Hospital, Dec. 5, aged 25.

DILLS.—Florence R., 108 East 19th St., Dec. 4. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

DUNHAM.—Andrew J., 175 South 8th St., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

FLOOD.—Jerome, 1,329 Rogers Av., Dec. 5., aged 16 months.

FORDHAM.—Frances, East 23d St. and Av. D, Dec. 5. Funeral private.

GAMBER.—John, 17 Garden St., Dec. 4, aged 71.

HAFELEY.—Elizabeth, 19 Pulaski St., Dec. 5, aged 43. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

HEPP.—Pauline, 774 Metropolitan Av., Dec. 5.

JOHANSON.—Per J., 661 Classon Av., Dec. 5. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

LINK.—Theresa, 106 Stagg St., Dec. 4.

McGOVERN.—Thomas, 115 Atlantic Av., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

McGRATH.—Joseph, St. Mary's Hospital, Dec. 4. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

McKENNA.—Margaret J., St. Peter's Hospital, Dec. 4, aged 32.

MATTSON.—Ola, 31 Cheever Place, Long Island College Hospital, Dec. 4.

NORDQUIST.—Ruth, Kingston Avenue Hospital, Dec. 5.

OSTERGREN.—Sarah L., 765 De Kalb Av., Dec. 5, aged 61. Funeral Dec. 10.

O'TOOLE.—Robert, 245 Hudson Av., Dec. 4, aged 52. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

PALMER.—Lily M., 42 Halsey St., Dec. 4, aged 35.

PETRIE.—William, 224 17th St., Dec. 4. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

RUFF.—Christina, 200 33d St., Dec. 4. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

STEWART.—Bridget, 45 Talman St., Dec. 6, aged 62. Funeral to-day.

THOMSON.—Ida M., 210 Monitor St., Dec. 4, aged 20.

TOOMEY.—Margaret, 433 46th St., Dec. 5. Funeral notice later.

TORRENS.—Emmeline R., 216 Willoughby Av., Dec. 4.

TORREY.—Frank L., 100 Moffat St., Dec. 4, aged 43.

WALSH.—Mary T., St. Catharine's Hospital, Dec. 4. Funeral to-day.

WILFERT.—Anna, 85 Waverly Av., Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

WINTERS.—Margaret, 368 Baltic St., Dec. 5. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

Connecticut.

BEATTY.—John, 282 East St., New Haven, Dec. 3.

DAHL.—Mary, New Haven, Dec. 3.

FRENCH.—Edward F., 78 6th St., New Haven, Dec. 3, aged 41.

HOLZMEISTER.—Elizabeth, New Haven, Dec. 2, aged 71.

HOWARD.—Patrick, New Haven, Dec. 3.

MESKILL.—Michael, New Haven, Dec. 3.

OWENS.—Lydia A., New Haven, Dec. 2, aged 76.

SHEPPARD.—Carl K., New Haven, Dec. 3, aged 2.

STAMMERS.—Thomas L., New Haven, Dec. 4. Funeral to-day, 8:30 A. M.

Long Island.

BAUMANN.—Josephine B., 237 15th Av., Astoria, Dec. 4, aged 21. Funeral to-day.

EBENDICK.—Henrietta, College Point, Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, Dec. 7.

EICH.—Wolfgang, 119 George St., Evergeen, Dec. 5, aged 65. Funeral to-morrow.

ROBBINS.—Eliza J., Whitestone, L. I., Dec. 5, aged 62. Funeral to-morrow, 1:30 P. M.

New Jersey.

ALLEN.—Jane, Bayonne, Dec. 4, aged 84.

ANDERSEN.—John, 716 Demott St., West Hoboken, Dec. 3, aged 52.

BORDEN.—Mary E., Shrewsbury, Dec. 4. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

BOUTILLIER.—Fred N., Newark, Dec. 6, aged 3. Funeral to-day.

BRAMLEY.—Mary, Elizabeth, Dec. 5, aged 89. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

BUHR.—Rudolph, 64½ Geneva St., Elizabeth, Dec. 3, aged 7.

BUNKLE.—John, 33 Morris St., Jersey City, Dec. 5.

COMPTON.—Ann E., Newport, Dec. 2, aged 82.

CONOVER.—Lewis, Garwood, Dec. 3.

CURLEY.—Maria, 111 3d St., Elizabeth, Dec. 4.

ELLIS.—Gilbert L., Millburn, Dec. 4. Funeral to-morrow, 2:30 P. M.

ENGLISH.—Eliza J., South Orange, Dec. 5, aged 83. Funeral to-morrow.

FOLEY.—Helen A., Jersey City, Dec. 4, aged 15. Funeral to-day, 9 A. M.

CURTIS.—William, East Orange, Dec. 5. Funeral Dec. 9.

DUFFY.—Mary E., 27 Hartford St., Newark, Dec. 5. Funeral Dec. 9, 8:30 A. M.

FAHRENHOLZ.—Catharine, 203 Washington St., West Hoboken, Dec. 4, aged 73.

FISCHER.—Henry, Town of Union, Dec. 3, aged 55.

FRANZEN.—Ernest, 660 South 12th St., Newark, Dec. 6, aged 32.

FRISPEE.—Simpson, Trenton, Dec. 5, aged 56. Funeral to-morrow, 2:30 P. M.

GUEST.—Catherine, Trenton, Dec. 4.

HELLER.—Porter, 531 Cherry St., Elizabeth, Dec. 3.

HEALEY.—James, 159 Coles St., Jersey City, Dec. 5. Funeral to-day.

GREGORY.—Winthrop, Newark, Dec. 5.

HUGHES.—Delia, 69 Tonnele Av., Jersey City, Dec. 6.

JINKS.—Emma, 32 North 3d St., Newark, Dec. 4. Funeral notice later.

KAUFHOLD.—Arthur A., Newark, Dec. 6, aged 3.

KIERNAN.—Lily, 11 Paterson St., Newark, Dec. 5, aged 6. Funeral to-day.

KONKLE.—Susanna L., 101 North 7th St., Newark, Dec. 5.

LEVETT.—Louis, Summit, Dec. 4. Funeral private.

LOCKWOOD.—Alfred, Englewood, Dec. 5. Funeral service to-day.

McGRATH.—John, Trenton, Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 9 A. M.

MAHER.—John, Pleasant Plains, Dec. 5, aged 87. Funeral Dec. 9, 9 A. M.

MITCHELL.—Alice E., Cranford, Dec. 4, aged 25.

MINER.—Mary, West Hoboken, Dec. 4, aged 76. Funeral to-day, 8:30 A. M.

MORRIS.—Patrick B., 30 Monroe St., Newark, Dec. 6. Funeral notice later.

MOWRY.—Nellie, Bayonne, Dec. 5, aged 64. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

PARKER.—William, 289 New St., Newark, Dec. 5. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

RINDERER.—Ludwig, Trenton, Dec. 5, aged 62. Funeral to-day.

SCHRIEBER.—Joseph H., 317 Hamilton St., Newark, Dec. 5, aged 7.

SCHUMACHER.—August, Paterson, Dec. 4, aged 15.

SMITH.—Alexander E., 67 Clay St., Newark, Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

STEITZ.—Anna M., 400 Central Av., Jersey City Heights, Dec. 5, aged 60.

STRIPPEL.—Charles H., Nordhoff, Dec. 5, aged 62. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

SURRAN.—Annie, Bridgeton, Dec. 2.

TRAUTMANN.—Sarah, 61½ Central Av., Jersey City, Dec. 5.

VERSEPUT.—Anna M., 227 Jackson St., Hoboken, Dec. 3, aged 87.

WEIL.—Winton C., Irvington, Dec. 5. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

WOOD.—George, Union Hill, Dec. 6, aged 72. Funeral notice later.

In Memoriam.

GERWIG.—Louis, in memory of; died Dec. 7, 1908.

McLAUGHLIN.—Hugh, mass, St. Hugh's Chapel, Huntington, L. I., to-day, 9 A. M.

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Prominent Yale Alumnus Says Rules Must Be Changed for Good of Sport.

ADVICE TO RULE MAKERS

Committee Should Act for the Purpose of Making the Game Safer and Better for Every One.

That Yale will, through its representative on the Intercollegiate Rules Committee, take a leading part in the movement for a thorough revision of the football rules was stated to a reporter for THE TIMES yesterday by Julian W. Curtiss, the prominent Yale alumnus and former rowing coach. He expressed himself in no uncertain terms as to the vital necessity of an opening of the game rather than any return to "old" football, and said that it would be almost suicidal for the Rules Committee not to take full and careful cognizance of the prevailing demands for a change.

"To my mind," he said, "the most urgent need for the Rules Committee is that its members shall go into their meeting with every one of them thinking almost entirely of the game itself—not how any proposed changes might benefit or injure the prospects of their own college next year or at any future time. There has been considerable of that spirit manifested in the past—altogether too much for the good of the sport. Individuals have attended the meetings of the Rules Committee with an eye single to the advantages that might accrue to their Alma Mater rather than with the sole intention of legislating to improve the game itself.

"That is a condition which can no longer exist with safety either to football or its players. The time has gone by when such a thing can, by any stretch of the imagination, be considered legitimate. If the next meeting of the Rules Committee does not develop the right sort of spirit among its members—a spirit which will acknowledge the defects of the present game and enact remedial legislation—then the game will be in a bad way. And I believe that the present members of the committee are thoroughly desirous of making all needed changes.

"I do not want to be considered as posing as a critic of the present Rules Committee. Such is neither my position nor my desire. But I do think that things have come to such a pass that every one interested in preserving a new and revised football which shall bear considerable similarity to the present game is entitled to be heard. More than that, I think he should be free with his suggestions. The committee should have ideas if they are of the right kind—and the committee is the sole judge of that so far as the playing rules are concerned. Therefore everybody ought to get into the game now and help the thing by pertinent suggestions.

"As the game is at present regulated, the most dangerous position on an eleven is at tackle. The two tackles bear the brunt of the modern attack. When they are on the offense it is their duty to work really harder than anybody else in the line. This imposes a burden that is too dangerous in that it is too constant. The tendency of the game to-day is to pound and smash the tackles, either from open or tandem formations that rip through the line like a knife.

"Now, the secondary defense has been pulled back—and properly so—to act as a defense to the forward pass and the onside kick, both of them plays which must be retained. It should not be disturbed from its present defensive position. Yet the need of protecting the line—giving it aid, that is, in stopping the terrific battering ram plays which now constitute the attack repertory of all teams—is so great that the attack itself must be weakened.

"To my notion this can be best accomplished by a rule which provides that whenever a play is directed through the line between the opposing ends—that is, a centre, guard, or tackle plunge—the man carrying the ball shall head the play and no one be permitted to go ahead of him. Thus the splitting, rending effects of the present tandems will be done away with. The defensive line will have a fair and safe chance to bring the runner down without fear of injury to either tackler or tackled. For end runs, plays directed around the end or having five yards outside of tackle and just inside the end, interference should be permitted. Without it no end run could possibly be successful. And there is really very little danger in these plays. It is the defense which must be strengthened against the modern line attack, and that can, in my opinion, be best accomplished by weakening the attack.

"The forward pass should, perhaps, be unrestricted, in order that the safest results may be achieved. The receiver of it should be protected in some way against tackles. Maybe this can be brought about by permitting no one to regain a forward pass until it has touched or been touched by a member of the side making the pass. The onside kick is a splendid play; its strategy and finesse are too valuable to permit the thought of doing away with it.

"Altogether I am firmly and irrevocably in favor of open football. I want to see no return to the old game. Perhaps it might be wise to increase the number of yards to be gained to fifteen instead of the present ten, as well as to weaken the attack when directed at the line, in the manner I have already indicated. You can put me down as a firm and stanch believer in 'new' football, and it is safe to class all good Yale men in the same category."

R. P. Williams, the old Pennsylvania player, who has coached several championship interscholastic teams and is now director of the Berkeley School Athletic Association, says that football is a game from which danger cannot be altogether eliminated. He suggests the following changes in the rules:

"The man running with the ball should run without interference. Penalty, twenty-five yards.

"Only one player should be allowed to tackle the man with the ball. Penalty, twenty-five yards.

"The forward pass must first be received or touched by the side passing it, opponents not being permitted to touch any player of the receiving side until after the pass has been missed or caught. Penalty, fifteen yards. Provided, that if the ball is fumbled, it shall go to whatever player can recover it.

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Strong Rumor at Princeton That He Will Return to Instruct Eleven.

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 6.—A rumor which originated on the campus to-day and is now the topic of conversation here is to the effect that William W. Roper, '02, the old Tiger football general, will again occupy his former position of head coach over the Princeton 1910 football team. Although the truth of the rumor has not been officially vouched for, it was admitted to-night by a well-informed person that such a step has been favorably considered.

Roper has just completed a season at the University of Missouri, where his efforts were crowned by success, and this fact, coupled with a comparison between Roper's Princeton team and the one which proved such a disappointment this Fall, has convinced the authorities that the old methods were better than the new. It is certain that Roper's return would meet with a hearty approval of the undergraduates.

Roper was in Princeton to attend the Cuyler memorial services on Friday. He may be here again soon. It is expected that an announcement will shortly be made by the Graduate Advisory Board, composed of Howard Henry, Phil King, Walter C. Booth, Capt. Edward J. Hart, and a number of the Faculty.

Brown Elects McKay Captain.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 6.—James Russell McKay of Youngstown, Ohio, half back on the Brown University football team, was elected Captain of the next year's eleven to-day. McKay is a member of the junior class.

N. Y. U. Elects Athletic Officers.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association of New York University, held at University Heights yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Commodore David J. Banks; First Vice President—Le Roy Murphy, '11; Second Vice President—James Wheeler, '11; Recording Secretary—Irving V. A. Huie, '11; Corresponding Secretary—David R. Wylie, '11; Treasurer—Dr. Thomas W. Edmunson; Member at large, Frank Booth, '11.

A joint meeting of the Executive Committee of the athletic association and the football team was also held yesterday, at which Elmer Galloway, '11, was elected Captain of next year's football team. Dudley E. Wiltse, '11, was elected to manage the team next year and Frederick W. Garnjost was made assistant manager.

Brooklyn Post Office Clerks' Games.

Athletes of the Metropolitan Association are beginning to line up for the annual games of the Brooklyn Post Office Clerks' Association, which will be held at the Thirteenth Regiment Armory on Saturday night, Jan. 15. All indications point to one of the biggest athletic meets ever held in Brooklyn. Chairman Fleeson, who is perfecting plans for the carnival, has arranged a programme brim full of interest, the many relay races being a second edition of the Pennsylvania relay championships. Invitations have been extended to all the champions of the East, and many will be on hand to battle for the handsome prizes at stake.

Fencer Pavese Wins Three Bouts.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Prof. Pavese, fencing master to Theodore Roosevelt when the latter was President, defeated M. Lamourous, fencing instructor at the University of Chicago, in contests staged last night in the German Hod Carriers' Hall. Eight hundred people saw the bouts. There were three events, and Prof. Pavese was victor in each. With the foil he won by a score of 32 to 23, with the sabre 46 to 24, and with the poniard against the foil, 31 to 13.

Billiardists to Play in California.

Calvin Demarest of Chicago, who recently won the world's professional championship at 18.2 balk line billiards; Albert Cutler of Boston, and Harry Cline of Philadelphia, two of Demarest's unsuccessful competitors, will meet all comers at San Francisco in January, and Alfred De Oro, the three-cushion champion, will accompany them under the management of "Eddie" Graney, who was a losing bidder for the Jeffries-Johnson fight.

NEW RECORD RACING IN SIX-DAY GRIND

Four Teams Lapped in Sensational Sprint Started After Midnight.

ANOTHER TEAM DROPS OUT

Shirley and Germain Quit, but Germain Then Teams Up with Carapezzi—Man Dies in a Fit.

SCORE AT 2 O'CLOCK A. M.

TWENTY-SIXTH HOUR.

Teams.	Miles.	Laps.
Macfarland and Clark	553	9
Rutt and Stol	553	9
Root and Fogler	553	9
Lawson and Demara	553	9
Walthour and Collins	553	9
Anderson and Vanoni	553	8
Mitten and West	553	9
Cameron and Krebs	553	9
Halstead and Lawrence	553	9
Hill and Stein	553	8
Pye and Hehir	553	9
Galvin and Keegan	553	9
Georget and Georget	553	8
Germain and Carapezzi	552	2

Record of 552 miles and 4 laps made by MacFarland and Moran in 1908.

The most sensational sprint that has marked the six-day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden was started at 12:33 this morning, and for ten minutes the riders circled the track at tremendous speed. As a result four teams were lapped, Anderson and Vanoni, Hill and Stein, Georget and Georget, and Germain and Carapezzi dropped behind the leaders.

So long did the sprint continue that the riders were strung completely around the track, and hardly anyone had any conception of what had happened or what bicyclists had gained a lost advantage. The crowded Garden had its first real chance to let loose the pent-up enthusiasm, and there was a continual roar as the men whirled around the "saucer."

Rutt startled the group after a long time of listlessness by a daring attempt to steal a lap. Walthour was after him on the instant, followed by Lawson. These men began to draw away from the others, but some were able to creep up again before it was too late, while the teams mentioned were lapped.

Early in the evening Shirley attempted to gain some of the laps lost during the day and had all the teams following his fast pace, with the result that he could not regain any of the lost ground and exhausted himself to such extent that he dropped out of the race shortly after 11 o'clock. His teammate, Germain, then teamed up with Carapezzi, who earlier in the contest had given up with his teammate, Cuniolo.

During the progress of the race in the afternoon an unknown man was attacked by epilepsy. He was taken to Bellevue Hospital, where he died. His body was taken to the Morgue to await identification.

The ruddy glow of fine physical condition is slowly leaving the features of some of the riders. The grind is leaving its mark. The crowd was big again last night, and at times it rose to heights of tumultuous enthusiasm when the going was fast. "Jackie" Clark, McFarland's partner, added a touch of comedy when he joined the riders wearing a false mustache and looking like one of his foreign competitors. Anderson, the Dane; De Mara, who is with Lawson in the Mormon outfit; "Billy" Walthour, the Atlanta motor pace star, and the popular natives, Root and Fogler, all had a hand in stirring up the sleepless riders to record breaking speed.

Large groups of admirers of the cycling fad are forming a sort of Society for the Prevention of Sleep. They swarmed into the galleries, prepared to stay till the early morning sun reddens the skylights and the "sweeps" unceremoniously eject them into the street.

Just before 11 o'clock Germain, the forlorn tailender, went out and relieved the fast-tiring Shirley. He plugged along with bulldog tenacity as the crowd yelled itself hoarse at his hopeless effort. Germain tired after a time and the riders set out and at 11 o'clock lapped him again. At the twenty-third hour Vanoni was leading, and the score was 496 miles, 2 laps.

Just as the people were pouring into the Garden at 8 o'clock last night Norman Anderson of the Danish-Italian team, led the riders in a sprinting chase after "Reggie" Shirley, Germain's British partner. Anderson kept up a rapid clip, with the others pedaling in Indian file behind him until the tired Englishman had been lapped eleven times, the British-French team having been passed several times during the afternoon.

At 8 o'clock, when the riders had been competing twenty hours, the record was smashed, the leaders having covered 435 miles, which is three miles better than De Mara and Hill's record, made last year. The race grew more interesting as the evening wore on, and there was much activity in the different camps. Many of the riders drank beef and chicken broth from long tubes while traveling along at a twenty-mile-an-hour gait. Others grabbed a piece of orange and kept right on going.

Cameron of the New York-New Jersey team took a bad tumble on the Twenty-seventh Street curve and brought Mitten of the Farmer team and Keegan of the Irish-American pair down with him. Cameron and Mitten were badly shaken up and had to stop to get patched up. The crowd jumped to its feet at 8:40 o'clock when a boy with a megaphone in the gallery yelled "Go it, Bobby," addressing Walthour. The Georgian set out on a smart sprint and got several yards ahead of the bunch before they caught up with him. All the riders had to go the limit to overtake the popular Atlanta flier.

Two teams are now out of the race. The Messenger Boy duo, Wiley, and Drobach, were declared out a few hours after Wiley dislocated his collarbone early yesterday morning. The Boston-Buffalo team was declared out at 2 o'clock, four hours after "Patsey" Logan tumbled from his wheel on the steeply banked track and rolled down to the floor. He was picked up and hurried to the physicians, who found his collarbone broken, the second accident of its kind in the race. Logan's injury was very painful.

A crowd of more than 6,000, made up of the leftovers from Sunday night and early morning arrivals, were brought to their feet shortly after 9 o'clock when Rutt, the sturdy German, "jumped" away from his opponents and set out at a terrific gait to steal a lap. The first man who suspected his purpose was "Eddie" Root of the Little Old New York team. He caught Rutt, and for eight laps the pace was heart-breaking. It proved too much for plucky Germain of the British-French team, whose legs wearied in the sprint, and he dropped back. His mate Shirley, the Britain, was not ready to take up the fight and Germain was lapped. Wrapped in blankets he took a short nap, and for the rest of the day put up a plucky fight to regain the lost distance. His steady unrelenting pace-making keyed the whole field up to a fighting pitch, and as a result after the fourteenth hour, the records began to fall. When the race was 13 hours 58 minutes and 37 2-5 seconds old, Floyd McFarland, with his neck doubled up on his shoulders, dashed in front of the field of riders, with the old record fading behind him. At the fourteenth hour the riders were half a mile ahead of the record, having ridden 311 miles 9 laps. Germain was making them go lively, and the merry Frenchman kept hitting it up, hoping to tire out some of the riders and force them to join him in his lonesome plight, a lap behind. At the fifteenth hour the riders were plugging along, 14-5 miles ahead of the record made last year by Downey and Logan. During the sixteenth hour Emil Georget of the French team started a sprint, which did not last long. The first signs of fatigue were noticed late in the afternoon when "Jackie" Clarke, McFarland's partner, took out a wheel rigged with high horizontal handle bars, heavily padded, on which he rested his tired hands. Pye, from the Antipodes, also had soft padding around the handle bars.

A swarthy-skinned Neapolitan, waving a large Italian flag, started his countrymen in all parts of the hall cheering in the sixteenth hour when Carapezzi of the Italian team was at the head of the procession of record breakers, finishing 355 miles and 6 laps in that time, 2 miles and 9 laps ahead of the record of McFarland and Moran last year.

WAGNER AND COBB HUNT.

But Game Was Scarce in Georgia and Hans Came Home Disgusted.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURG, Penn., Dec. 6.—Hans Wagner and Ty Cobb, champion batsmen in the major leagues, have decided not to be chums any longer, at least not until the hunting season is over. Hans says Ty does not know what good hunting is, and he can prove it. Ty's side of the case has not been heard by the people of Pittsburg, but it is felt that the end is not yet.

It appears that during the last world's championship season Wagner and Cobb got very chummy. Ty told Hans that down in Georgia there was much game, and he invited Hans to come to Georgia and fetch his dogs. There was much correspondence, and finally Hans started for Georgia last Wednesday. Late Saturday he reached home again full of disgust.

"Yes, I went to Macon, and we looked about some for game. I could have had a crack at a ground squirrel or two and, perhaps, a barnyard chicken, but as for hunting, Georgia won't do. Mr. Cobb is one of the most genial gentlemen I ever met, but there are two things we will never agree on—game and baseball. Why," thundered Wagner, "I have lost four days of real hunting on that trip South. No more of it for Hans. The South is all right, and Cobb's all right, too, but I wish he hadn't told me about that swell hunting in Georgia."

NO BASKET BALL FOR PIRATES.

Pittsburg Champions Must Give Up Dangerous Play in Winter.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURG, Penn., Dec. 6.—Barney Dreyfus has put his foot down on members of his champion baseball club playing basket ball during the Winter months. He considers it too dangerous. Pitcher Powell of the Pittsburgs has for some years been a basket ball player. He played basket ball hard last Winter, and was not in good shape when Spring came. This Fall President Dreyfus asked Powell not to play basket ball this Winter and the big pitcher promised that he would not. To-day Dreyfus heard that Powell was about to close with a team in the Central Basket Ball League and he wrote the big fellow a letter which will likely stop him.

"I wrote Mr. Powell that any money that he might make in basket ball this Winter would be taken out of his baseball salary for next year, and this goes for all the boys," said Dreyfus. "I cannot afford to have chances taken by my players of being injured."

Hans Wagner played basket ball last Saturday night, but it is understood that he will not do so again. Wagner was badly hurt last Winter by being thrown against a cage.

American League Wants Short Season.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Ban B. Johnson, President of the American Baseball League, tonight declared that the American League owners would be a unit at the New York meeting next week for a short season schedule and shorter games. He said:

"We shall try to do away with the custom of letting the pitcher throw four practice balls to the catcher, unless the pitcher has just been at bat. I am in favor of making the schedule of games as short as possible. Last year seven of the American League owners were in favor of 140 games, while the eighth wanted 154 games. The American League was really set for 140 games, but for harmony's sake and to save muddling up the schedule we compromised on 154 games. In the coming year we want a shorter schedule."

"Matty" Cannot Pitch Indoor Baseball.

Special to The New York Times.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Christy Mathewson, Hal Chase, and an aggregation of minor league players participated in indoor baseball with Johnny Evers's nine at the State Armory tonight, and were defeated by the score of 13 to 1. Mathewson and Chase were cordially received by the big crowd. "Bix Six," on entering the box, received an ovation and started off by making a brilliant catch of Evers's fly. The crowd yelled itself hoarse, but thereafter Matty was wild and ineffective in the first and second innings. He mixed ten hits with three bases on balls with the result that the Trojans scored 8 runs. The ball was too clumsy for Matty to handle, and he retired in the sixth inning in favor of Doescher. Chase pitched the eighth inning, striking out a man and then throwing the ball around recklessly until three more runs were tallied. Johnny Evers outshone the other big leaguers, showing that he was quite at home at the indoor game. Chic Robertaille, the former Pittsburg pitcher, allowed the visitors but eight scattered hits. The score by innings:

										R.	H.	E.
Troy	4	4	0	0	0	3	0	2	..	13	17	3
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	8	6

Batteries—Mathewson, Doescher, Chase, and Hartyson; Robertaille and Jack Evers. Umpire—Mr. McGrath.

HORSES AND HORSEMEN.

Ballot and Helmet, the two horses of the James R. Keene racing stable that were returned from England on the Minnehaha Saturday, reached Sheepshead Bay yesterday safely. They were shipped to Fort Hamilton and led to the track from that point. Both shipped in good condition, but Helmet has a damaged left eye that seems to have been hurt in some manner by a whip, probably in a race. James Rowe was at the stable to receive the horses, and he will turn both out in one of his paddocks until the Spring, when they will be taken up and trained for the coming season.

Jockey Eddie Dugan has been engaged to ride for the stable of August Belmont for the season of 1910 at a salary of $12,000. S. C. Hildreth secured second call on the services of the clever young rider. Last season Dugan was under contract to ride for H. P. Whitney, and he went abroad to fill his contract. He was refused a license by the English Jockey Club, and when he returned to America he rode for Mr. Belmont and Mr. Whitney on frequent occasions.

Dave Sloan of the Hildreth establishment has gone to California with Jockey Dugan, and he will look after the interests of the rider until his return to New York. He will probably ride at Juarez after leaving California.

Jimmy Owens, a few years ago one of the best cross-country riders in America, is back at Sheepshead Bay. Owens has been in France for the past two years and has been employed training a cross-country string most of that time. Owens retired from the saddle after suffering a badly broken arm.

Andrew Miller, Philip J. Dwyer, Thomas Welsh and Thomas Monohan are all back from French Lick Springs. The trip is almost an annual one, and each one of them was greatly benefited by the two weeks' rest. With the return of Mr. Dwyer, it is promised that within a short time the Brooklyn Jockey Club will make an announcement of its stakes for 1910.

George Odom, who finished his racing year so successfully by winning seven races in nine starts at the Latonia meeting, left yesterday for a shooting holiday in Virginia. He will be the guest of Dave Sloan and William Garth.

Matthew Allen will leave New York for a short holiday within a few days, taking with him his son, who is in poor health.

Oiseau, the 7-year-old son of Ornus and Kitty Gunn, was brought back to America from England on the steamship Minnehaha, Saturday. Oiseau was bred and raced by John G. Greener, who sent Olambala and several other good ones to the races. As a 3-year-old Oiseau was sold for a big price to James Buchanan Brady, and was raced with a fair measure of success in those colors. Oiseau was sent to England a year ago, having been purchased by Sir Alfred Jeffson and trained at Mowbray. After a very careful preparation, in which Oiseau gave every promise of coming back a good horse, he broke down when he was started. After the race Chris Goodharte, who had gone abroad with the horse, and who had much to do with his handling when he was in the Brady stable, bought him, and he returned to America the property of Goodharte. He will be shipped to Jacksonville, and another attempt will be made to bring him back to the races this Winter.

Nominations for Kentucky Futurity.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 6.—Secretary Horace Wilson said yesterday that over 800 second payments due Dec. 1 to the Kentucky Futurity of $21,000, for foals of 1909, have been made, and that the number possibly will reach 900 by March 11. Eleven hundred mares were nominated.

Sixty-ninth Regiment Games.

Representing their various regiments, practically every middle-distance runner of note in the metropolitan district will be seen in action next Saturday night at the annual games of the Sixty-ninth Regiment, which will be held at the armory, Lexington Avenue and Twenty-fifth Street. Among those who will compete in the military relay race are Melvin Sheppard, Harry Gissing, Jim McEntee, Syme Northridge, Harry Sedley, Le Roy Dorland, "Yank" Robbins, Dick Egan, Carl Walther, and I. J. Lovell.

Yale-Manhattan Game Off.

The basket ball game between Yale and Manhattan College, which was scheduled to be played to-night at the De La Salle court, has been canceled by the Yale management, owing to the fact that the Faculty ordered the list of games to be shortened by six. Manhattan will play the Washington Heights Y. M. C. A. instead.

"BIG TIM" SULLIVAN HOLDS FIGHT STAKES

Promoters and Boxers Go Out to Sea to Make Transfer of $40,000 Forfeits.

THAT IS WHAT THEY SAID

Jeffries and Johnson May Have Either Charlie White or Eddie Graney as Referee—What Humphreys Wants.

The adverse comment on the plans for the Jeffries-Johnson fight to be held next July 4 reached another stage yesterday when the promoters and fighters appointed as permanent stakeholder Timothy D. Sullivan, and the $40,000 forfeits and side bets were turned over to his control by Robert H. Murphy of the Hotel Albany, who was the temporary stakeholder. To further dispose of the repeated cries that have sounded something like fake for the benefit of the pictures, Sullivan has been given greater power than any other stakeholder of a big fight, it being within his authority to call off the fight at any time after the commencement of hostilities on July 4 if there seems to be in his opinion any cause to question the squareness of the event. It is considered that with the liberty and the right to award the forfeits in such a case the skeptics have been answered.

The appointment of Sullivan as stakeholder was made under trying conditions. That is, the conditions must have been severe if what is told has the element of actuality. There was a small boat out somewhere about three miles from the coast line in the open sea, and in it were the principal actors in the tableau of Capt. Kidd with a little pot of $40,000 waiting to change hands. And it did change hands, going from those of Bob Murphy, who was reported to have suffered an attack of sea sickness, into those of Sullivan. When all is said and done, however, the ones who should know are about certain that the little boat, if there really was a boat at all, was anchored somewhere in the Hotel Knickerbocker, presumably in Gleason's room, with only the bounding waves three miles away.

One point in the articles of transfer failed to suit Jack Johnson. There was a little clause which called for the distribution of the money in case of the death of either of the principals. Perhaps there was a little bit of superstition in his sending an order that it be cut out, but at any rate it was eliminated.

Those who signed the agreement yesterday were Timothy D. Sullivan, George W. Little, Sam Berger, and John J. Gleason. "Tex" Ricard was present, but for personal reasons failed to attach his name to the document.

The talk of a referee for the fight has centred for the most part between Charlie White and Eddie Graney, the latter one of the unsuccessful bidders. Graney has already refused to act in such a capacity, but it is thought he will change his decision. With an Eastern stakeholder, the principals are said to favor a Western referee. If the fight takes place in Salt Lake City Joe Humphreys will undoubtedly be the announcer, but should it go to the Coast Billy Jordan will probably get the position. Humphreys has added that he would not want to act as announcer were the fight on the Coast.

Yesterday afternoon "Tex" Rickard received a telegram for his partner, John Gleason, saying that the latter's mother had died in San Francisco. Gleason left last night at 8:30 to attend the funeral.

MAY REVOKE FIGHT PERMIT.

Petition Against James Coffroth's Arena Near San Francisco.

REDWOOD CITY, Cal., Dec. 6.—A petition to revoke the prizefight permit of James W. Coffroth, the promoter, who conducts an arena just outside San Francisco, came up to-day before the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County. On the representation of Coffroth's attorney that the promoter was in New York, where he had attended the Jeffries and Johnson conference, the hearing went over until the next meeting of the board Dec. 20.

The arena in question probably will be the scene of the Jeffries and Johnson fight next July unless Coffroth's permit is revoked.

Wright and Cote in Ten-Round Draw.

Special to The New York Times.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Prof. Fred Wright of this city, formerly of Berlin, N. H., after five years' absence from the ring, to-night fought Arthur Cote of Biddeford, Me., a fast ten-round draw. Both men waged a terrific fight, but until the eighth round Wright had things all his own way. In the eighth round Cote rallied and started with such speed that many believed the boy from Maine was about to turn the tables, but Wright was too clever, and although noticeably weakened from the pace he had set, the local boy held his own. Cote's left eye was closed during the second round, while Wright emerged without a scar.

Delmont Defeats Mackay.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Al Delmont of Boston defeated "Biz" Mackay of Cleveland, Ohio, in the last round of a twelve-round bout at the National Athletic Club to-night. For eleven rounds the fight was hard and close, but in the twelfth Delmont sent Mackay to the floor and secured the decision.

Attell Fights Hard to Get Decision.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 6.—Abe Attell, champion featherweight fighter of the world, was forced to extend himself to the limit to obtain a decision over Charlie White of Chicago in an eight-round contest before the Phoenix Athletic Club here to-night. The decision was unpopular.

Parker and Henry Draw.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Andy Parker of New York and "Kid" Henry of Trok boxed ten fast rounds to a draw at the Grogan Athletic Club, Watervliet, across the river from here, to-night. The fight was remarkably even and gave general satisfaction.

Zbyszco Loses Bout to Turner.

QUINCY, Ill., Dec. 6.—Wrestler Zbyszco failed to throw eGorge Turner of Kellogg, Iowa, twice to-night in forty-five minutes. He got two falls in fifty minutes.

St. John's College Elects Captain.

Special to The New York Times.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 6.—The football squad of St. John's College to-night elected Cadet C. L. Johnson of Laurel, Md., who played end this season, to captain the team next year. Cadet R. K. Adams of Boonsboro, Md., was elected manager.

AUTO EXHIBITORS DINE.

Premier Car Wins Double Prize at Hotel Breslin Drawing.

The exhibitors at the Grand Central Palace and Madison Square Garden Automobile Shows were entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Hotel Breslin, when the annual drawing for the privilege of exhibiting a car in the corridor of the hotel during the shows was made. H. C. Esseletyn, rperesenting the Premier car, drew the winning number for both associations. Speeches were made by Henry M. Duncan, who presided; W. E. Hildreth, President of the Breslin Hotel Company; M. L. Downes, Secretary of the A. L. A. M., and Alfred Reeves, General Manager of the A. M. C. M. A. Among those present were:

James C. Young, Manager Madison Square Garden Show; John Plummer, Locomobile Company; J. M. Boyle, Midland Car Company; W. J. Donlan, Studebaker Car Company; William M. Haradon, Columbia Car; Keene Carruthers, Mitchell Car Company; C. A. Benton, Sultan Motor Company; P. F. Rockett, Isotta Import Company; Philip H. Lucas, Reo Car; H. C. Esselsteyn, Premier Car; W. McK. White; William L. Colt, Colt-Stratton Company; Julius Augustine, Franklin Car; J. S. Norton; O. Frost, Black Manufacturing Company; Capt. H. L. Stratton, Colt-Stratton Company; J. R. Flanagan, Pullman Car; Charles M. Brown, Winton Car; William E. Adams, H. J. Koehler Co.; Frank Eveland, Stevens-Duryea; E. F. Korben; A. J. Stocker, of Frank Presbury & Co.; A. N. Jervis, of American Locomobile Company; A. G. Batchelder and N. Lazarnick.

MOORE BEAT BROWN.

Big Olympic A. C. Crowd Sees Clever Fight Between Bantams.

Paul Moore of Philadelphia defeated "Knockout" Brown of this city in a ten round contest at the Olympic Athletic Club, West 125th Street, last night. The club house was packed to the doors, and over 1,000 members witnessed one of the cleverest boxing contests ever seen in this city between bantamweights. Moore forced the fighting in the opening round, and Brown was bewildered. The Philadelphian landed left hooks on Brown's jaw, and when the boys came to close quarters Moore shook his opponent with right uppercuts.

In the fourth round Brown started to do the leading and made a vain attempt to land one of the blows that has made him famous as a knockerout. Moore was on the defensive from the third until the seventh round, and Brown landed a few blows to the Philadelphian's body, but they did not seem to feaze Moore.

In the eighth round Moore let up in his defensive tactics and forced Brown around the ring with right and left handers that generally landed. Brown's nose was in bad shape, and Moore had the better of the remaining rounds. Brown did not land an effective blow in the last three rounds.

In the other bouts Eddie Gillespie defeated Harry Rose in four rounds, "Young" Tommy Murphy won from "Kid" Hudson in four rounds and Billy Smith and Al Hancock fought a four round draw.

FOUR-MILE RACE TOO LONG.

This Is the Reason Why Navy Will Not Compete at Poughkeepsie.

Special to The New York Times.

ANNAPOLIS, Dec. 6.—Capt. John M. Bowyer, Superintendent of the Naval Academy, considers a four-mile boat race too long for Uncle Sam's middies, and figures that the present training for sports, including football, is too strenuous for the Navy lads. This was indicated in the stand taken by him on the subject of sending eight-oared crews to represent the Academy in the big aquatic classic at Poughkeepsie next Spring. After recently announcing a determination to try and send two crews to Poughkeepsie, the Naval Athletic Commitee recently changed front and recomminded to Capt. Bowyer that permission be denied the middies to enter the races. In approving this recommendation, which effectively puts a quietus on the scheme, Capt. Bowyer says that in his opinion for men who have as much other daily work which must be done as have the middies, a four-mile boat race is too long. He continues:

"The midshipmen are not as matured as the men against whom they would generally row, and this, with the inadequate training they must have if they keep up with their studies, would make them always, or nearly always, losers against such colleges as Cornell and Syracuse. The public not understanding the conditions, but with the idea that the midshipmen should lead in water sport, would expect them to excel, and the fact that they did not would subject them and the academy to unfavorable comment.

"The tremendous energy now centred upon the training of a good football team indicates what is necessary under conditions, such as they exist here, to approach the standard in football that is set by large colleges. It is only by a lucky chance that we would win in football against any one of the leading five or six.

"Were it desirable, similar energy could hardly be concentrated on shell racing, and if it were, under our conditions, the result would be to lose generally in a four-mile race even more surely than we should lose in football against first-class teams; and this upon an element where the press and the public would expect us to take first place."

Capt. Bowyer also calls attention to the fact that as the Poughkeepsie regatta takes place after the regular June week exercises at the academy, it would keep a large squad of midshipmen out of about one-third of their practice cruise.

CLINE TO PLAY DEMAREST.

Philadelphian Challenges 18.2 Billiard Champion for a Match.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Calvin Demarest, the new world's champion at 18.2 balk line billiards, has returned from New York. When asked regarding his attitude toward the challenge issued by Harry Cline of Philadelphia, Demarest said it was likely he would return to New York the latter part of this week to accept the challenge and arrange for the place and date of the game.

Demarest is not yet sure he will play Cline for the title, but his friends say it is highly improbable that he will refuse. They also say that if the challenge is accepted Demarest will make Cline come to this city for the contest in order to give his home city a chance to see the match.

Class B Pool Result at Doyle's.

In last night's game of the Class B pool tournament, now in progress at Doyle's Academy, Broadway and Forty-second Street, Ed. Hannis defeated Max Bernstein by a score of 60 to 53. The high run was made by Hannis. To-night T. Hughes will meet C. Emmerson.

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OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Coppers Move Irregularly in Fair Volume of Trading on the Curb.

MIAMI SHOWS STRENGTH

Shares Move Upward Under Fairly Active Trading While Other Issues Are Inclined to Sag.

The coppers were somewhat irregular on the curb yesterday with a number of minor recessions appearing and few gains at the close. Boston Copper, which reported transactions of 12,000, sold down from 21⅝ to 20⅞, closing at 21⅛. Greene-Cananea, Ray Central and Ray Consolidated made fractional losses, and Nevada Consolidated, after selling 5,000 between 26¾ and 27⅛, closed even with the opening at 27. Miami was an exception to the general heaviness and closed ⅜ above the opening after ranging from 18½ to 19. The railroad list, which has been swelled by a number of new issues recently, yesterday listed the new Third Avenue stock and bonds. The former reported sales of 150 shares "when issued" at 46. The refunding 4s "when issued" reported transactions of 5,000 at 85. There were no sales of 5s.

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The principal transactions reported yesterday in the outside market, with open, high, low and last prices, were as follows:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
145	Am. Tobacco	425	430	425	430
100	Am. W. P. pf.	25	25	25	25
20	A., G. & W. I. pf.	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜
500	Bay State Gas	13-16	13-16	13-16	13-16
100	Inter. Salt	6	6	6	6
4,000	June Oil	50	50	46	50
100	Manh. Transit.	2¼	2 5-16	2¼	2¼
200	N. Y. Transp.	5½	5¾	5½	5¾
868	Sears-Roebuck	150	152⅛	150	150¼
83	Standard Oil	655	655	651	654
675	Un. Cigar Mfg.	77½	79½	77½	79½

RAILROADS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
75	Am. L. & Tr.	291	291	290	290
34	C. G. W. w. i.	29½	29½	29½	29½
8	C. Gt. W. pf.	57	57	57	57
5,000	C. N'west rts.	15	15	14¾	14¾
700	Chi. Subway	5¼	5¼	4¾	4¾
95	N. Secur. stubs	103	110	103	105
825	Seaboard	23⅝	24⅞	23⅝	24⅞
25	Seaboard 1st pf.	77½	77½	77½	77½
250	Seaboard 2d pf.	43	43¾	43	43¾
350	S. Shore Trac.	49¼	49¾	49¼	49¾
150	Third Av. w. i.	46	46	46	46

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
12,000	Boston Copper	21⅝	21⅝	20⅞	21⅛
5,000	Braden Copper	4⅞	5⅛	4⅞	5
3,800	Brit. Col. Cop.	8	8	7¾	7¾
3,300	Butte Coall'n.	29⅞	30⅛	29¾	29¾
1,600	*Carisa	54	55	52	55
1,000	Chino Copper	8⅞	9	8⅞	9
8,000	*Cobalt Central	27	27	25½	26½
1,200	*Comb. Frac.	47	47	46	46
300	*Com. Mining	50	50	50	50
22,500	Con. Ariz. Sm.	2	2⅛	2	2 1-16
500	Cumb.-Ely Min.	8¾	9	8¾	9
1,000	El Rayo	2½	2½	2⅜	2⅜
1,000	First Nat. Cop.	5¾	5⅞	5¾	5⅞
300	Gila Copper	8⅛	8¼	8⅛	8¼
4,000	Giroux Mining	11¾	11⅞	11⅝	11⅝
1,200	Goldfield Con.	8⅛	8⅛	8	8 1-16
2,400	Greene-Cananea	12⅝	12⅝	12	12⅛
2,700	*Greenwater	8½	8½	7½	7½
100	Guan. Consol.	2	2	2	2
25	Gug'heim Exp.	240	240	240	240
715	Inspiration Cop.	7 7-16	†7 7-16	7 5-16	7⅜
500	Kerr Lake	8	8 1-16	8	8 1-16
1,200	La Rose Con.	5 1-16	5 1-16	4 15-16	5
7,100	Miami Copper	18½	19	18½	18⅞
8,000	Miami Cop. rts	7-16	9-16	7-16	9-16
3,200	M. Co. of Am.	½	½	½	½
20,000	*Mon. of C. R.	7	8	5	6
5,000	Nev. Con. Cop.	27	27⅛	26¾	27
4,500	N.-U. M. & S.	1⅜	1½	1⅜	1½
800	Nipis M. Co.	10¾	11	10¾	11
2,200	Ohio Copper	5¼	5 5-16	5 3-16	5 3-16
1,500	Pacific Smelt.	1⅞	1⅞	1¾	1¾
700	Precious Met.	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1,500	Ray Central	2 7-16	2 7-16	2¼	2 5-16
1,350	Ray Consol.	22⅞	22⅞	†22½	22⅝
1,000	*Silver Leaf	14	14	14	14
1,000	Silver Queen	24	25	24	25
3,630	Tenabo M. & S.	2½	2½	2⅜	2⅜
1,600	Tonopah Min.	6½	6⅝	6¼	6⅝
300	*Tramps Con.	4½	4½	4½	4½
325	Tuolumne Cop.	3½	†3¾	3½	3¾
12,500	Union Mines	2⅝	2⅞	2 9-16	2⅝
1,025	*United Rico	26	†27	26	27
250	Yukon Gold M.	5 1-16	5⅛	5 1-16	5⅛

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Am. St. Fdy 4s.	75	75	75	75
40,000	Braden Cop. 6s.	106	107½	106	107½
5,000	Con. Ar. Sm. 5s.	40	42	40	42
10,000	Mo. Pac. 5s.	96⅜	96⅜	96¼	96¼
14,000	N. Y. Telephone 1st 4½s w. i.	97½	97⅝	97½	97⅝
5,000	Third Av. Ref. 4s, w. i.	85	85	85	85
17,000	West. Pac. 5s.	97	†97⅛	97	97⅛

*Sells cents per share. †Odd lots.

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The bid and asked prices at the close of the market yesterday compare as follows with those of Friday:

	Dec. 6. Bid.	Dec. 6. Asked.	Dec. 3. Bid.	Dec. 3. Asked.
Am. Tobacco	425	435	422	424
Am. Writing Paper	2	3	2	2½
Am. Writing Paper pf.	24½	26	23	25
Am. Light & Traction	290	291	284	286
Am. Light & Trac. pf.	106	108	104	105
A., G. & W. I.	10½	11½	10½	11½
Borden's Cond. Milk	118	122	120	123
Borden's Cond. Milk pf.	104	107	106	100
Bay State Gas	¾	⅞	¾	⅞
Boston Copper	21	21¼	21	21⅛
British Col. Coppper	7¾	7⅞	7	7¼
Braden Copper	5	5⅛	4⅜	4¾
Butte Coalition	29⅝	29⅞	29	29¼
Chicago Subway	4½	5	5	5¼
Chi. Gt. West., w. i.	27½	28½	27	28
Chi. Gt. West. pf.	56	58	56	58
Combination Fraction	46	47	46	47
Cobalt Central	26	27	25	26
Davis-Daly Copper	..	..	5¼	5½
Ely Con.	82	84	77	79
First Nat. Copper	5¾	6	6	6⅞
Giroux Mining	11¼	11⅜	11¼	11½
Goldfield Con.	8	8 1-16	8	8 1-16
Greene-Cananea	12	12¼	12½	12⅝
International Salt	6	8	9	10
Kerr Lake	8	8⅛	7¾	7⅞
Mason Valley	1⅞	2	1¾	2
Miami Copper	18¾	18⅞	18⅜	18½
Miami Copper rights	½	⅝	⅜	½
Nevada Con. Cop.	26⅞	27	26⅞	27
N. Y. Transportation	5½	6	4¾	5
Nippissing Mines Co.	10¾	11	10⅝	10¾
Ohio Copper	5⅛	5¼	5⅛	5¼
Pope Mfg.	67	70	67	70
Pope Mfg. pf.	83	87	83	87
Ray Central	2 5-16	2⅜	2 3-16	2 5-16
Ray Con.	22½	22⅞	22¼	22⅝
Sears-Roebuck	150	152	149	151
Standard Milling	16	19	16	19
Standard Milling pf.	50	55	50	55
Southern Iron & Steel	23	25	23¼	25
Southern I. & S. pf.	50	55	50	55
Standard Oil	650	655	651	660
Tonopah Mining	6½	6⅝	6½	6⅝
Tri-Bullion	15-16	1 1-16	15-16	1 1-16
United Cigar	78½	80	76½	77½
United Copper	8¼	9	8½	9
United Copper pf.	21	29	21	29
Western Copper 5s	97	97½	96¾	97
Yukon Gold Mines	5 1-16	5⅛	5	5 1-16

PHILADELPHIA PRICES.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—The local stock market was a curious mixture of ups and downs to-day, with trading rather active. United Gas Improvement, following the buying orders which came in on top of Saturday's unexpected extra dividend announcement, rose a point to 95½, but a flood of profit-taking sales by speculators, who had accumulated the shares at lower figures, met this advance and crumbled the price back to Saturday's closing level. General Asphalt, both common and preferred, rose sharply, the latter at one time selling $3 a share over last week's closing quotation. The stock market weakened at the close, United Gas Improvement sagged nearly half a point under Saturday's last sale, over 13,000 shares changing hands.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
10	American Cement	39½	39½	39½
109	American Milling	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
18	Amer. Tel. & Tel.	139¾	139¾	139¾
1,000	Brook R. T.	82¼	81⅛	82¼
14	Cambria Iron	45⅞	45⅞	45⅞
1,029	Cambria Steel	47⅜	47	47
200	Electric Storage	57½	57	57
5,250	General Asphalt	26½	25½	25½
2,250	General Asphalt	79	77	77⅞
5	Ins. Co. of N. A.	23½	23½	23½
100	Int.-Met.	24¼	24¼	24¼
105	Keystone Tel.	12	11½	12
2,080	Lake Sup. Corp.	26⅞	25⅞	26¼
20	Lehigh Nav.	115	115	115
112	Leh. Nav. trust ctfs.	115	114	114¼
6,105	Lehigh Valley	101½	100½	101
1,382	Pennsylvania	65 9-16	65 1-16	65⅜
5,648	Penn. warrants	15 7-16	14⅞	14⅞
33	Penn. Salt warrants	6¼	6	6
639	Phila. Co.	49	48¼	49
135	Phila. Co. pf.	44¼	44	44
4,494	Phila. Elec.	13½	13¼	13½
3,455	Phila. Rapid Transit	27¾	27½	27½
30	Pittsburg Coal	27	27	27
3,650	Reading	86	85⅝	85½
10	Reading 1st pf.	45¼	45¼	45¼
100	Rock Island	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞
200	Southern Railway	31⅜	31	31
175	Tonopah Mining	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
886	Union Traction	53⅞	53	53⅝
13,446	U. G. I.	95¼	94	94⅛
7,955	U. S. Steel	91	89½	89⅝
100	West. N. Y. & Penn.	5	5	5
84	W. J. & S. S.	52	52	52

THE COMMODITIES MARKETS.

Wheat Strong on Covering of Shorts Due to Cable Advices—Cotton Prices Better in an Active Market.

The wheat market was decidedly more active than it has been for a considerable period and also decidedly stronger, closing near best prices. This was due to the heavy covering of shorts on unfavorable advices from Argentina. Cables reported the Argentine markets excited, with prices strong, on damage by frost in the more southerly sections.

Later in the day a report from an American crop expert now in the Argentine gave the yield in parts of the Province of Cordova at only 7 busheds per acre, which is a decided falling off. Last year's average was 11.6, and last year's was a small crop. Covering by a prominent Chicago house which has been persistently bearish for weeks past was a factor of importance and induced a great deal of general covering and commission house buying. Some reaction from the advance came on reports of probable exaggeration of the Argentine damage, and also on the large increase in the visible supply, notwithstanding the interruption of the Northwestern movement by the strike last week and a disappointing cash demand.

Corn was fairly active and also higher, partly influenced by the strength in other grain and by the reports of frost in the Argentine, but the receipts were rather liberal at the West, the weather much more favorable, and there was a good increase in the visible supply, showing that already the movement is beginning to accumulate stocks.

Oats were quiet but firm. Receipts were not heavy, and the market slowly improved with fairly good support. There was a small decrease in the visible, and near-by deliveries were quite strong.

Provisions were fairly active and advanced readily on the disappointing movement of hogs at Chicago, where the receipts were much under the estimates. The live hog market was higher, and the weather conditions were not encouraging for a heavy run from the country.

NEW YORK FUTURES MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat. Close.
Wheat—				
December	$1.17½	$1.17¼	$1.17½	$1.17¼
May	1.14¼	1.12⅞	1.14⅛	1.12⅞
July	1.05½	1.05	1.05½	1.04⅝
Corn—				
December	..	..	68½	68½
May	..	..	69⅝	69¼
Oats—				
May	..	..	47¾	47¾

Curb, 2:30 P. M.: May—Wheat, $1.14⅛@$1.14¼; puts, $1.13⅝@$1.13¾; calls, $1.14⅞.

CHICAGO FUTURES MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat. Close.
Wheat—				
December	$1.07⅝	$1.06	$1.07¼	$1.05⅞
May	1.07½	1.06	1.07⅜	1.05⅞
July	98¼	97¼	98¼	97¼

2:30-2:45 P. M.: May—Ups, $1.08; downs, $1.06⅞@$1.06¾.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat. Close.
Corn—				
December	58	57⅜	58	57⅜
May	61⅝	60⅞	61½	60⅞
July	61	60⅝	61	60⅜

May—Ups, 61⅝@61¾c; downs, 61⅝c.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat. Close.
Oats—				
December	40⅞	40⅝	40⅞	40¼
May	42¾	42⅜	42¾	42⅜
July	40⅝	40⅜	40½	40¼
Lard—				
December	..	..	13.00	12.90
January	12.47½	12.40	12.47½	12.32½
May	11.57½	11.52½	11.57½	11.45
July	11.47½	11.42½	11.47½	11.37½
Ribs—				
January	11.42½	11.20	11.40	11.15
May	10.77½	10.70	10.77½	10.62½
July	10.75	10.67½	10.75	10.65
Pork—				
December	..	..	..	21.75
January	21.42½	21.27½	21.40	21.10
May	20.72½	20.57½	20.70	20.45

COTTON.

Cotton developed strength and was active during the early part of the session. The advance was very largely due to the strength of the cables and to sensational reports of deficient outturn of the Egyptian crop and excited Egyptian markets and a bullish statement by the head of the National Ginners' Association forecasting an extremely small crop this season. His deduction from the returns of the Ginners' Association was for a crop of only 9,950,000 bales, with weights aggregating 24 pounds light, which reduced the crop to 9,700,000 bales of last year's weights.

Afterward a statement was made by the President of the Atlanta Compress Company to the effect that up to Nov. 21 it had ginned 806,419 bales of average weight of 505½ pounds this year, compared with 815,194 bales in September, October, and November last year, averaging between 500 and 501 pounds.

Then Theodore H. Price issued a statement analyzing the National Ginners' report, showing that in the last four years the ginners' figures have been 560,000 to 2,009,000 under the commercial crop, averaging an understatement of about 1,500,000 bales.

There was a good deal of selling at the advance, some of which was credited to Memphis interests, and fear that some of the long cotton recently bought was coming on the market caused a partial loss of the morning gain. There appeared to be some evidence of profit-taking, and the bullish enthusiasm appeared to wane on the advances.

The trade reports were not encouraging, and were in part responsible for the lack of bullish interest as prices advanced. Providence and Fall River showed a very stagnant trade during the past week, with sales barely one-quarter to a third of the output, and disappointing advices come from the South regarding the demand at Southern points. The statement of President Macara of the International Federation that spinning time by mills using American cotton had been reduced from 55½ to 40 hours per week, expectation that this would be continued, reports that the curtailment may extend to Egyptian cotton, and the Manchester advices this week showing a very flat condition of the trade there in both yarns and cloths, all tended to restrict fresh speculative demand and make buyers rather cautious, but bears are extremely cautious, on the other hand, and apprehensive of a bullish crop statement this week.

COTTON PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat. Close.
December	14.60	14.49	14.49@14.51	14.49
January	14.78	14.67	14.68@14.69	14.68
February	..	..	14.80@14.84	14.80
March	15.08	14.99	15.02@15.03	14.97
April	15.10	15.10	15.08@15.10	15.03
May	15.30	15.19	15.24@15.25	15.19
June	15.13	15.13	15.06@15.08	15.01
July	15.24	15.14	15.17@15.18	15.13
August	14.53	14.45	14.48@14.49	14.46
September	13.39	13.37	13.37@13.38	13.34
October	13.05	12.98	12.98@13.00	12.98

The market closed steady at unchanged to 5 advance.

COFFEE.

COFFEE.—There was a moderately active trade in coffee, but operations were mostly in the form of switches from the near to distant positions. At the opening the market was steady at unchanged to 5 points decline, and during the day values developed an easier feeling, closing at a net decline of 5@10 points, with total sales of 17,200 bags. The French market was ¼ higher at the opening, but lost the advance and closed net unchanged, and Hamburg closed at a decline of ¼ to ½ pfennig. The Brazilian markets were steady, with Rio unchanged and Santos unchanged for 7s, but 50 reis lower for 4s. Receipts at Rio and Santos were moderate, amounting to 64,000 bags, compared with 70,000 last week and 58,000 a year ago.

The amount of Brazilian coffee in and afloat for the United States now amounts to 4,515,690 bags, compared with 3,765,576 last year, and of this the amount afloat is 1,035,000 bags. Spot coffee was steady at 8½ cents for Rio No. 7.

Total warehouse deliveries in the United States for the week aggregated 198,660 bags, against 194,602 last week and 167,723 last year. Of the former amount New York had 102,412 bags.

Contract prices follow:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat. Close.
December	6.45	6.40	6.40@6.45	6.45
January	..	..	6.45@6.50	6.50
February	..	..	6.50@6.55	6.55
March	6.60	6.60	6.55@6.60	6.60
April	..	..	6.60@6.65	6.65
May	6.75	6.70	6.65@6.70	6.75
June	..	..	6.70@6.75	6.80
July	6.80	6.80	6.70@6.80	6.80
August	..	..	6.75@6.80	6.80
September	6.80	6.80	6.75@6.80	6.80
October	..	..	6.75@6.80	6.80
November	..	..	6.75@6.80	6.80

CHICAGO STOCK MARKET.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—On the local Exchange to-day trading was about of the usual volume, with nothing significant in the way of price changes. An advance of a point in Illinois Brick and a point loss in Booth Fisheries preferred were the extremes of an irregular movement of quotations.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
700	Am. Can	14½	14	14½
100	Am. Can pf.	83¾	83¾	83¾
225	Am. Tel. & Tel.	140	139½	140
47	Am. Radiator pf.	130	130	130
78	Am. Shipbuilding	70	69¾	70
786	Booth Fisheries	25¾	25¼	25¾
855	Booth Fisheries pf.	65½	64½	64½
50	Booth Fisheries ctfs.	24	24	24
30	Chi. Pneu. Tool	37½	36½	36½
184	Chi. Rys., Series 2	31	30¾	30¾
360	Chi. Subway	5⅛	4½	4½
29	Chicago Tel.	135	135	135
50	Chi. Title & Trust	146	146	146
114	Com. Edison	118	117	117
54	Diamond Match	126	125½	126
1,278	Illinois Brick	73⅜	72	73⅜
6	Met. El. pf.	51½	51½	51½
100	National Biscuit	118	118	118
2	National Biscuit pf.	122⅞	122⅞	122⅞
20	National Carbon	97½	97½	97½
25	Quaker Oats pf.	103½	103½	103½
1,160	Sears-Roebuck	151	150¼	150¼
110	Sears-Roebuck pf.	121½	121¼	121¼
100	South Side El.	52	52	52
1,927	Streets S. C.	49⅝	48½	49¼
83	Swift & Co.	109	108⅞	109

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—The local market opened strong this morning, and some further advances were recorded during the early part of the session. Toward the noon hour, however, realizing orders appeared, and the whole list began to sag. Amalgamated lost a point and a half from the high price made during the early trading. North Butte sold down to 61¼, Greene Cananea lost a fraction to 12⅛, and Lake Copper declined to 58¼. The market closed steady at a slight recovery.

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$13,000	Am. T. & T. 4s	92⅝	92¼	92¼
1,000	A., T. & S. F. 4s	99¾	99¾	99¾
10,000	A.G. & W.I. S. S. 5s	70	69½	70
9,000	C., B. & Q. joint 4s	95¾	95⅝	95¾
1,000	Mass Gas 4½s	98½	98½	98½
1,000	N. E. Cotton Y. 5s.	104	104	104

RAILROADS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
20	Atchison	120¾	120¾	120¾
5	Boston Elevated	130½	130½	130½
16	Boston Suburban pf.	75½	75½	75½
103	Boston & Albany	228	227½	228
39	Boston & Lowell	224½	224	224½
17	Boston & Maine	147½	147½	147½
8	Boston & North. pf.	126	126	126
50	Boston & Prov.	297	297	297
35	Boston & Wor. pf.	47½	47½	47½
10	C. J. R. & S. Y.	156	156	156
39	Fitchburg pf.	130½	130½	130½
10	Mass Elec.	15½	15½	15½
212	Mass Elec. pf.	77	76¼	76¼
296	N. Y., N. H. & H.	158	156½	158
12,239	N.Y.,N.H.&H. rts.	5⅝	5 5-16	5 9-16
75	Union Pacific	201	200	200
20	West End	93	93	93
11	West End pf.	104¼	104¼	104¼

TELEPHONES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
2,368	American	140¼	139	140⅛
19	New England	134¾	134¾	134¾

MISCELLANEOUS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
683	Am. Ag. Chem.	46½	46⅛	45⅞
57	Am. Ag. Ch. pf.	102	102	102
105	A. G. & W. I. S. S.	10½	9⅞	9⅞
5	A. G. & W. I. S.S. pf.	26½	25⅝	26½
20	Am. Pneu. Svc.	8½	8½	8½
150	Am. Pneu. Svc. pf.	22	21½	21½
868	Am. Sug. Rfg.	121¼	118⅞	120¼
175	Am. Sug. Rfg. pf.	121½	120	120¼
131	Am. Woolen pf.	103½	103¼	103¼
65	Boylston St. Land	3	2	3
760	East Boston Land	11⅞	11½	11½
39	Edison	250	249	250
25	Georgia Ry. & Elec.	100½	100	100½
5	Gen. Electric	160½	160½	160½
14	Mackay pf.	77⅜	77⅜	77⅜
145	Mass Gas	77	76½	77
40	Mass Gas pf.	90½	90½	90½
305	N. E. Cotton Yarn	122	121½	121½
10	N. E. Cotton Y. pf.	110½	110½	110½
34	Pullman	190	180	189
100	Reece Fold. Mach.	5¾	5¾	5¾
50	Rotary Ring	13½	13½	12½
15	Seattle Elec.	117	117	117
205	Swift	109½	109	109⅛
292	United Fruit	150	148	149
400	United Shoe	66½	65¾	65¾
10	United Shoe pf.	30¼	30¼	30¼
3,195	U. S. Steel	90⅞	89¼	89⅝
6	U. S. Steel pf.	124¾	124½	124¾
10	Wollaston Land	2¼	2¼	2¼

MINING.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
340	Adventure	8	7½	7½
3,346	Amalgamated	88	86½	86½
10	Allouez	57	57	57
850	Am. Zinc	36	36	36
900	Arcadian	5⅝	5½	5⅝
680	Arizona Com'l	45¾	45¼	45¼
50	Atlantic	12¼	11⅞	11⅞
250	Batopilas	3½	3¼	3¼
3,387	Boston Cons.	21½	21	21
2,805	Boston Corbin	23	22½	22⅞
675	Butte Coalition	30	29⅝	29⅝
145	Calumet & Arizona	103	102	102
18	Calumet & Hecla	655	650	650
5	Centennial	38	38	38
161	Copper Range	81¼	80½	81
275	Daly-West	8½	8	8⅛
940	East Butte	11⅝	11¼	11½
35	Franklin	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
3,322	Giroux	11⅝	11¼	11⅝
15	Granby	101	101	101
1,305	Greene-Cananea	12¾	12¼	12¼
45	Hancock	20⅞	20½	20½
90	Helvetia	7	6¾	6¾
10	Royale	25	25	25
100	Kerr Lake	8	8	8
105	Keweenaw	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
10,726	Lake	60½	58¼	59⅛
215	La Salle	16½	16¼	16⅜
995	Mass	8½	7½	7⅞
4,840	Miami	19	18⅜	18¾
3,725	Miami rights	50c	45c	50c
100	M. C. & C.	15c	15c	15c
931	Nevada	27¼	27	27
230	Newhouse	3⅝	3½	3½
325	Nipissing	11	10⅜	10⅝
3,106	North Butte	62½	61¼	61⅝
355	North Lake	9¼	9	9
40	Ojibway	10	9⅝	9⅝
60	Old Dominion	51	51	51
35	Osceola	158	158	158
20	Parrot	29	29	29
61	Quincy	84	83	84
270	Santa Fe	2½	2½	2½
80	Shannon	15½	15½	15½
20	Superior	62	62	62
1,045	Sup. & Boston	15⅛	14¾	14¾
60	Sup. & Pittsburg	16	15¾	16
25	Tamarack	64	64	64
150	Trinity	10¼	10	10
50	U. S. Oil	38	38	38
150	U. S. Smelting	53¾	53	53¾
93	U. S. Smelting pf.	53	52½	53
410	Utah Apex	5	4¾	4¾
641	Utah Cons.	45½	45	45¼
150	Victoria	4	4	4
1,625	Winona	8½	8¼	8¼
5	Wolverine	147	147	147
310	Wyandotte	3	2¾	2¾

FOREIGN TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Daily Consular and Trade Report for to-morrow notes the following trade opportunities abroad. Further information regarding these may be obtained by addressing the Bureau of Manufactures, care of Department of Commerce and Labor, Washington, D. C., giving the number of the item referred to:

4,209—NOVELTIES OF ALL KINDS.—An American business house writes that it is in receipt of a communication from a foreign concern which states that it is interested in all kinds of novelty and utility goods manufactured the United States which may be salable in European markets. The firm desires to act as representative for manufacturers of these articles for Portugal and colonies, as it feels that it could successfully introduce them in such countries.

4,210—TURPENTINE, OILS, RESIN, AND PARAFFIN.—An American Consul, in a European country, reports that an importer and wholesale dealer in his district has advised him that he desires to get in touch with American firms exporting illuminating and lbricating oils, turpentine, resin, and paraffin that are not already represented in that region.

4,211—LEATHER.—A special request has been received by an American Consular officer, in the Levant, from a firm of commission merchants in his district for the names of American manufacturers of leather with whom business connections may be formed. The names of several other dealers from whom similar requests have been received are also given in the report.

4,212—OLEO OIL AND COTTON OIL.—An American Consular officer in Asia Minor reports that a firm of commission merchants in that region has expressed a desire to get in touch with American exporters of oleo oil and cotton oil who desire to introduce their products into that market.

4,213—PUBLIC WORKS IN ASIA.—A report has been received from an American Consular officer in an Asiatic country stating that a local municipality will soon publish the full details of a project to open three boulevards across the city. The undertaking will require an outlay of nearly $6,000,000, the capital to be furnished by the concessionaires, who will be granted the right to purchase at the expropriation price the land on either side of the road, and in addition will have the sole right of running trams along the proposed streets.

4,214—AMERICAN HAY.—A business man in the Netherlands advises an American Consular officer that he desires to import American hay into Belgium and Holland. He states that he will furnish satisfactory references, and wishes to get into communication with American exporters of this article along the Atlantic Coast.

4,215—AMERICAN TIMBER.—An American Consular officer in Eastern Europe reports that he has received a request from a local business man for the names of American dealers in timber, both manufactured and unmanufactured, as he is desirous of buying hickory wood for the manufacture of rims, spokes, and wheel boxes, as well as manufactured rims, spokes, and boxes. He will pay cash against shipping documents, and furnishes banking references.

4,216—TOOTHPICKS.—A commercial organization in the United States writes for the names of the largest manufacturers of toothpicks in the United States. It is stated that one of its correspondents in Sweden is desirous of importing into that country American toothpicks, and would like to get in touch with American firms for that purpose.

4,217—LARD, TALLOW, AND NEATSFOOT OILS.—A European importer and wholesale dealer advises an American Consul that he is anxious to get in touch with American firms exporting lard, tallow oil, neatsfoot oils, sperm oils, and fish glue that are not represented in that region and desires to establish an agency.

4,218—CHEMICALS AND COTTON GOODS.—An American Consular officer reports that a German importer with facilities for reaching various South American and other markets wishes to represent American manufacturers of chemicals, paraffin, and cotton goods, particularly printed goods.

4,219—CEMENT.—A British commercial traveler desires to represent an American line of superior cement suitable for boot and shoe manufacturing and repairing, also a cement for use in repairing crockery, and has requested an American Consul to put him in touch with the proper parties.

Boston Bank Statement.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—The weekly statement of the Associated National Banks of Boston compares as follows:

	Dec. 4, '09	Dec. for week.	Dec. 5, '08.
Loans	$102,675,000	$4,651,000	$211,596,000
Circulation	7,017,000	12,000	8,763,000
Deposits	164,815,000	2,447,000	175,110,000
Due Banks	69,015,000	725,000	84,336,000
U. S. Deposits	3,012,000	12,000	1,559,000
Res. Agents	28,568,000	*177,000	36,064,000
Exc. Clg.	17,568,000	*145,000	16,723,000
Due fr. Banks	22,770,000	*60,000	22,667,000
5% Fund	359,000	*500	452,500
Legal Tender	4,704,000	*364,000	4,521,000
Specie	20,202,000	297,000	25,138,000
Surplus	1,530,857	*532,143	3,004,429
Sur., N. Y.	5,165,857	*642,143	10,009,429

*Increase.

YERKES DISPUTE AT END.

Court Approves Agreement Under Which Widow Relinquishes Claims.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Judge Cutting in the Probate Court here to-day confirmed an agreement entered into some weeks ago between Mrs. Mary Adelaide Yerkes, widow of Charles T. Yerkes, the executor of the traction magnate's estate and heirs of the estate by which Mrs. Yerkes relinquishes her personal claim to property in New York and Chicago valued at $3,000,000.

The confirmation of the agreement brings to an end litigation against the executor of the estate, L. S. Owsley, and specifically provides that Mrs. Yerkes waives all of her claims to the real estate and personal property in New York, she to receive her dower in all the real estate and the widow's third of the personal property, after all debts are paid, and $400,000 in lieu of the claims which she relinquished.

The agreement fixes L. S. Owsley in his position as executor, and also provides that Mrs. Yerkes shall hereafter be represented by George W. Young, a New York banker, to whom is given power to act for her.

CONFIRM MORGAN CHANGE.

Authoritative Announcement Made of the London House's New Name.

J. P. Morgan & Co. announced yesterday afternoon that after Jan. 1 the London house of J. S. Morgan & Co. would become Morgan, Grenfell & Co., the partners of the New York firm and of the Philadelphia house of Drexel & Co. participating in the same manner as in the Paris firm of Morgan, Harjes & Co.

This makes the partnership in the four financial houses in New York, London, Paris, and Philadelphia identical. Heretofore the only partners representing the New York firm in the London house were J. P. Morgan and J. P. Morgan, Jr.

Members of the New York house who were at the office yesterday declined to discuss in detail the changes in the London organization, saying that whatever remained to be said about the new situation would have to come from there.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

The United States Mortgage and Trust Company, which yearly prepares a compilation of the statements of the trust companies of the United States, has issued its 1909 edition. The work, which is a substantially bound volume of nearly 400 pages, contains, besides the statistics of the individual companies as of June 30, 1909, the officers, Directors, and correspondents, dividend rates, and stock quotations.

Spencer Trask & Co. have just issued the seventh edition of their circular, entitled "Convertible Bonds," which describes practically all of the convertible bonds now upon the market.

The Committee on Securities of the Stock Exchange, in regard to the new issue of convertible 5 per cent. first and refunding mortgage fifty-year gold bonds of the Missouri Pacific Railway, to be voted upon by stockholders on Jan. 18, rules that the stock shall not be quoted ex-rights on Dec. 8, nor until further notice. Certificates of stock delivered after Dec. 8 must be accompanied by a due bill.

The committee of first mortgage bondholders of the Ohio Southern Division of the Detroit Southern Railway Company, of which J. N. Wallace is Chairman, has been informed that an application is about to be made for the issuance of receivers' certificates, and urges that bonds be deposited with the committee without delay.

Owing to the publication on Dec. 10 of the estimate by the United States Department of Agriculture on the cotton crop, the Liverpool Cotton Association on that date will, after adjourning the session at 4 P. M., reopen at 6:45 P. M. and transact business until 8 P. M. The Exchange will be closed from 4 P. M. on Dec. 23 until the morning of Dec. 28, and from 4 P. M. Dec. 31 until the morning of Jan. 3.

The Missouri Pacific Railway Company has issued notice that the transfer books will close on Dec. 8 instead of Jan. 7, as previously announced for the special meeting to be held on Jan. 18.

DIVIDENDS.

THE CHESAPEAKE & OHIO RAILWAY CO.,

71 Broadway, New York City.
November 18, 1909.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a QUARTERLY DIVIDEND OF ONE PER CENT. upon the capital stock of this company, payable on December 31, 1909, to the stockholders of record on the transfer books of the company at the close of business December 11, 1909. The transfer books will not close.

CHECKS will be mailed to stockholders who have filed permanent dividend orders with the undersigned.

JAS. STEUART MACKIE, Secretary.

THE NORTH AMERICAN COMPANY.

30 Broad Street, NEW YORK, Dec. 3, 1909.

A quarterly dividend of ONE AND A QUARTER PER CENT. upon this Company's Capital Stock will be paid on January 3, 1910, to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 15, 1909. The stock transfer books will not be closed. CHECKS will be mailed to stockholders who have filed Permanent Dividend Orders at this office. SILAS W. BURT, Secretary.

TO HOLDERS OF
NEW YORK CITY RAILWAY COMPANY.
METROPOLITAN STREET RAILWAY COMPANY RECEIVERS' CERTIFICATES.

The interest due December 15th, 1909, on the Certificates of Indebtedness issued by the Receivers of the New York City Railway Company and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company will be paid by the Central Trust Company of New York, 54 Wall Street, New York City, upon presentation of such certificates for indorsement thereon.

ADRIAN H. JOLINE,
DOUGLAS ROBINSON,
Receivers.

NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY.

Treasurer's Office, New York, Dec. 7, 1909.

A dividend of Five Per Cent. on the capital stock of the NEW YORK and HARLEM RAILROAD COMPANY will be paid by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, lessee, (under the provisions of the contract between the two companies) at this office on the 3d day of January next to stockholders of record at the close of business on the 15th inst.

EDWARD L. ROSSITER, Treasurer.

UNITED BANK NOTE CORPORATION.

A dividend of one and one-half per cent. on the preferred stock for the quarter ending December 31, 1909, has been declared, payable January 3, 1910, to holders of record at the close of business December 15, 1909. The preferred stock transfer books will be closed at 3 P. M. on December 15th, and remain closed until 9 A. M., January 4th.

New York, November 29, 1909.
GEO. H. DANFORTH, Secretary.

HEDLEY GOLD MINING COMPANY.

42 Broadway, New York, December 2, 1909.

The Directors this day declared quarterly dividend No. 1 of thirty cents a share on the outstanding capital stock, payable January 4, 1910, to stockholders of record at three o'clock P. M. December 20, 1909. Transfer books of the Company close three P. M., December 20, 1909, and reopen at ten A. M., January 5, 1910.

C. D. FRASER, Treasurer.

THOMPSON-STARRETT COMPANY.

No. 51 Wall St., New York, N. Y.

The Board of Directors of this Company has declared the regular semi-annual dividend of FOUR PER CENT. on the Common Stock of the Company and an extra dividend of SIXTEEN PER CENT. on said Common Stock, both payable January 3, 1910, to stockholders of record at close of business December 20th, 1909.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR COMMISSARY FOODSTUFFS, &c., office of Panama Rail Road Company, 24 State Street, New York, November 20, 1909. Sealed proposals are invited for furnishing commissary foodstuffs, &c., to the Panama Rail Road Company in accordance with terms and conditions contained in Circular No. P-263. Circulars and full information may be obtained at the following named places, at which points bids will be received and opened in public on date and at time stated: The Purchasing Department, Panama Rail Road Company, 24 State Street, New York; office of Purchasing Commissary, U. S. A., New Orleans, La.; Purchasing Commissary, U. S. A., 1,006 North Point Street San Francisco, Cal., and Purchasing Commissary, U. S. A., 11 Lake Street, Chicago, Ill. Bids will be received at New York until 2:00 P. M.; at Chicago and New Orleans until 1:00 P. M., and at San Francisco until 11:00 A. M., December 15, 1909. Wendell L. Simpson, Major, 19th Infantry, U. S. A., Commissary Purchasing Agent, Panama Rail Road Company, 24 State Street, New York.

Proposals for Clothing:—Depot Quartermaster's Office, 39 Whitehall St., New York, N. Y., Dec. 3, 1909.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 1 o'clock, P. M., Dec. 23, 1909, and then opened, for manufacturing and delivering at either the New York, Philadelphia, of Chicago Depots of the Quartermaster's Department, 50,000 Olive Drab Overcoats, 60,000 Olive Drab Wool Service Coats, 40,000 pairs Olive Drab Wool Service Breeches, foot, and 20,000 pairs Olive Drab Wool Service Breeches, mounted. The right is reserved to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof. Preference will be given to articles of domestic manufacture. Blanks for proposals and full information will be furnished upon application at this office. Envelopes containing proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Clothing to be opened Dec. 23, 1909," and addressed to Col. William S. Patten, Depot Quartermaster.

THE NEW YORK TIMES CHRISTMAS NUMBER

NEXT SUNDAY.

Two special pictorial sections of eight pages each, printed on supercalendered paper, far surpass both in beauty and variety all former publications at this festive season. The first contains reproductions in half-tone of some of the most interesting and delightful examples of the modern school of painting. Sigismund Goetze's striking masterpiece, "Despised and Rejected of Men," occupies two whole pages of this section. Both subject and treatment of this wonderful painting compel the attention of the most casual beholder. In the centre of the composition is the meek, gentle Christ figure, long-suffering; all about Him in strong contrast the self-centered, pleasure seeking, outwardly beautiful world engrossed in its own pursuits. The painting implies a lesson, but the beauty of conception and workmanship raises it far above the level of ordinary didacticism.

The second pictorial section contains full page pictures in colors of Christmas subjects which appeal to young and old. The first page is an animated painting showing the gay, bustling, happy spirit of New Year's Eve in Times Square. Other full-page pictures of child life at Christmas time take us back to the period when as little ones we used to hang up our stockings and go to bed, sternly resolving to stay awake and catch sly old Santa Claus as he came down the chimney.

"THE WORLD REMADE IN FIFTY YEARS," is the pronouncement of Dr. Charles Eliot. This statement made in a recent address has inspired a most extraordinary symposium in which the most notable men—authoritative spokesmen in art, literature and every branch of science, will give their views in reply to requests made by The New York Times. In these replies leaders of modern thought of every shade set forth their views on the world's advancement, forming an anthology unprecedented in newspaperdom.

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Leonid Andreyev, the famous author of that remarkable book, "The Seven Who Were Hanged," will contribute a vivid and startling story entitled "The Crucifixion," which gives in powerful language a picture of that Event and at the same time portrays the mental agony of Judas Iscarfot witnessing the horrors for which he holds himself responsible.

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Average for 1906-7-8

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Earnings and expenses
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GRANGER ISSUES DECLINE

Reflect Continuance of Switchmen's Strike—Possible Spread of Trouble Also Factor in Market—Money Movements.

After a display of considerable strength near the opening of business the stock market became reactionary yesterday, and while the actual declines disclosed in quotations at the end of business were not extensive, yet losses were general. In the previous two sessions of the Stock Exchange the movement had been so sharply forward that in a technical sense a setback was due, and it seemed to be upon this theory that bearish operators, who have seized every occasion for a fortnight or more to depress prices, based a similar attack upon stocks yesterday. Exceptions to the rule in the matter of declines were to be found in Brooklyn Rapid Transit and Rock Island preferred. In the case of Brooklyn the explanation offered was that the management of the property had in view a programme for new financing which required a higher dividend on the company's stock and a higher market price for it to lend attractiveness to the real plan. The rise in Rock Island preferred brought forth no news, but in connection with the stock's advance attention was directed again to the probability of the payment of dividends upon the issue early next year, when under the terms of the stock's authorization the rate must be 5 per cent. In spite of the fact that dispatches from points in the Northwest, where the strike situation is under observation, were more uniformly favorable than at any time since the inception of the trouble, the stocks of the roads concerned were weak. Not only was this so, but there was during the day very general discussion of the probability of an extension of the wage dispute into Eastern railroad territory. It is a fact that demands for a higher wage for switchmen and others have been submitted to the managers of the trunk lines and in such a form that arbitration appears at the moment to be out of the question. Knowledge of this situation naturally made for caution in the financial community, and another factor having the same influence was the annoucement that President Taft intends to send in special messages to Congress on railroad and other corporation affairs within ten days or so.

Both call and time money rates were somewhat easier, and it is apparent that the quotations now in effect, and presumably to hold for the balance of the year, are attracting much outside money. It is this inflow which is so largely offsetting the California shipments, which were renewed yesterday to the extent of $800,000, and the engagements of gold for South American destination. Over $400,000 was so engaged during the day for export to Argentina on Wednesday's steamer, and further amounts will undoubtedly be added as the week progresses. On routine transactions with the Government the banks continue to lose moderately.

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

BOOKS CLOSE.

American Radiator Company preferred.
Railway Steel Springs Company preferred.
Safety Car Heating and Lighting Company.

ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Bank of the Manhattan Company.
Horn Silver Mining Company.

SPECIAL MEETING.

New York City Interborough Company.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call on stock Exchange collateral loaned at 4@5 per cent., with the last loan at 4½ per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 4⅞ per cent.

Time money rates, 4¾@5 per cent. for sixty days, 4¾ per cent. for ninety days, 4½@4¾ per cent. for four, five, and six months.

Mercantile paper rates, 5@5½ per cent. for sixty to ninety days' indorsed bills receivable, 5@5½ per cent. for choice four to six months' single names, and 5½@6 per cent. for others.

Private discounts at foreign centres: London, 3⅞ per cent., off 1-16 per cent.; Paris, 2¾ per cent., unchanged; Berlin, 4¼ per cent., up ⅛ per cent.

New York Clearing House statement: Exchanges, $195,059,777; balances, $8,708,547; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $707,393.

The local banks have lost $1,016,000 on their Sub-Treasury operations since Friday.

Sterling exchange was firmer, with demand quoted at $4.8775@$4.8780, sixty days at $4.84¼, and cables at $4.8825@$4.8830.

Continental bills were quoted as follows: Francs, 5.16¼ plus 1-64@5.16¼ plus 1-32 for cables, 5.16¼ less 1-32@5.16¼ less 1-16 for sight; reichsmarks, 95⅜ plus 1-64@95 7-16 plus 1-64 for cables, 95 5-16 less 1-64@95 5-16 plus 1-64 for sight, and 94 9-16@94 11-16 for sixty days.

Exchange on New York at Boston was 5c discount; Chicago, 40c premium; St. Louis, 50c premium; New Orleans, commercial, $1 discount; bank, $1 premium; San Francisco, 20c premium; St. Paul, 50c premium; Savannah, buying, 75c discount; selling, 75c premium; Montreal, 31¼c discount.

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver was 1-16d lower in London, at 23 11-16d per ounce, and ⅛c lower in New York, at 51½c per ounce. Mexican dollars were quoted at 43@44c.

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks to-day were as follows:

Alta	.10	Julia	.10
Alpha Con.	.10	Justice	.10
Andes	.19	Kentucky Con.	.10
Belcher	1.07	Lady Wash. Con.	.16
Best & Belcher	.62	Mexican	1.52
Bullion	.19	Occidental Con.	.87
Caledonia	.41	Ophir	1.87
Challenge Con.	.33	Overman	.60
Chollar	.27	Potosi	.60
Confidence	1.00	Savage	.51
Con. Cal. & Va.	.73	Sag Belcher	.11
Con. Imperial	.04	Sierra Nevada	.52
Crown Point	.04	Union Con.	.63
Gould & Curry	.29	Utah Con.	.10
Hale & Norcross	.50	Yellow Jacvket	1.05

Silver bars, 51½; Mexican dollars, 46@47½; drafts, sight, par; telegraph, 2@2½ cents premium.

TONOPAH.			
Belmont	.64	Daisy	.08
Jim Butler	.08	Goldfield Con. M.	7.90
McNamara	.25	Great Bend	.02
Midway	.16	Jumbo Extension	.13
Montana	.83	Kendall	.03
North Star	.01	Lone Star	.02
Tonopah Extension.	.48	Red Hills	.03
West End	.22	Sandstorm	.05
GOLDFIELD.		Silver Pick	.08
		BULLFROG.	
Atlanta	.10	Bullfrog N. B.	.01
Blue Bell	.02	Montgomery Mtn.	.02
Combination Fract.	.45	Tromps Con.	.0
Crackerjack	.01		

COLORADO MINING STOCKS.

Special to The New York Times.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Dec. 6.—The following were the closing quotations on the local Exchange to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Dr. Jackpot.	7½	7¾	Jackpot	6½	7½
Elkton	73¼	74½	McKinney	46	47⅝
El Paso	63	63¼	Portland	83¼	83⅝
Gold Dollar.	10⅝	11¼	Vindicator	70½	71½
Isabella	20	22	J. Sample	7⅞	8¼

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE—Monday.

Total sales Dec. 6, 1909 735,852
From Jan. 1, 1909 200,468,236
Corresponding period last year 179,330,938

Closing. Bid.	Closing. Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Change.
15⅜	15½	100	Allis-Chalmers	15½	15½	15½	15½	...
54	55	400	Allis-Chalmers pf.	55	55¼	55	55¼	+ ⅜
86¼	86½	47,700	*Amalgamated Cop.	87¾	88	86¼	86¼	−1⅝
45¾	45⅞	800	Am. Agricul. Chem.	46	46	45¾	45⅞	+ ⅛
46¾	47	500	Am. Beet Sugar	46⅞	47	46¾	46¾	+ ¼
14	14¼	3,000	Am. Can	14	14½	14	14⅛	...
83½	83¾	500	Am. Can pf.	83⅞	83⅞	83½	83½	− ¼
71½	71⅞	1,200	Am. Car & Foundry	73	73	72	72	−1¼
68¼	68½	1,100	Am. Cotton Oil	68½	68⅝	68½	68½	...
8⅛	8⅜	400	Am. Hide & Leather	8½	8½	8⅜	8⅜	+ ⅜
46½	47	300	Am. Hide & Leath. pf.	46½	46¾	46½	46½	+ ¼
26½	27	300	Am. Ice Securities	27	27⅛	27	27	+ ½
15	15½	400	*Am. Linseed	15	15⅜	15	15⅛	+ ⅜
60¾	61	1,800	Am. Locomotive	61½	62	60¾	60¾	−2
114	115	100	Am. Locomotive pf.	114¾	114¾	114¾	114¾	− ⅛
98⅛	98⅜	10,600	Am. Smelt. & Ref.	98⅞	99⅝	98⅛	98¼	− ⅝
111¼	111½	300	Am. Smelt. & Ref. pf.	110¾	111½	110¾	111½	+1
89½	90	100	Am. Smelt. Sec. pf. B	90	90	90	90	...
65	65¼	1,600	Am. Steel Foundries	64½	65⅛	64¼	65⅛	+ ¾
119¾	120	5,000	Am. Sugar Ref.	121½	121½	118½	120	− ½
120	121½	100	*Am. Sugar Ref. pf.	120¾	120¾	120¾	120¾	+ ½
140	140⅛	8,320	Am. Tel. & Tel.	140¼	140¼	139	140	− ½
98	98½	300	Am. Tobacco pf.	98¼	98¼	98	98	...
102¾	103⅛	100	Am. Woolen pf.	103¼	103¼	103¼	103¼	+ ¼
48⅜	48¾	1,000	*Anaconda Cop. Min.	49⅝	49⅝	48½	48½	− ¾
120⅝	120¾	31,000	Atch., Top. & S. F.	120½	121	120⅛	120⅝	+ ⅜
104⅜	104½	600	Atch., Top. & S. F. pf.	104¼	104¼	104¼	104⅜	...
133½	134	100	Atlantic Coast Line	135	135	135	135	...
115½	116	700	Baltimore & Ohio	116	116	115½	115⅝	− ⅝
3½	3⅝	100	Batopilas Mining	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	− ⅛
34½	35	400	Bethlehem Steel	35	35	34½	34½	− ½
81¾	81⅞	29,055	Brooklyn Rapid Tran.	80⅞	82⅜	80⅛	81⅞	+1
142	145	165	Brooklyn Union Gas	142	142	142	142	− 3
18	18½	100	Brunswick City	18	18	18	18	− ¼
34½	36	100	Butterick Co.	35	35	35	35	...
179¾	180	1,050	Canadian Pacific	179⅞	179⅞	179¼	179⅝	− ½
45⅝	45⅞	1,200	Central Leather Co.	45⅞	46	45¾	45¾	− ⅛
108	108¾	175	Cent. Leather Co. pf.	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	− ¼
308	312	110	Central R. R. of N. J.	311	311	311	311	...
86⅛	86⅜	6,300	Chesapeake & Ohio	86⅝	86¾	86	86¼	− ⅝
68½	68¾	400	Chicago & Alton	69	69	68¾	68¾	...
19½	19¾	100	Chi. Gt. West. 3d pd.	19½	19½	19½	19½	− ½
154⅝	154⅞	2,200	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	155¼	155¼	154⅝	154⅝	− ⅜
171½	172	200	Chi., Mil. & St. P. pf.	171¾	171¾	171⅝	171⅝	− ⅝
177	178	1,346	Chi. & Nothwestern	178¼	178¼	177⅛	177½	− ⅝
220	235	55	Chi. & Nothwest. pf.	225	225	225	225	− ¾
76½	77	100	Clev., C., C. & St. L.	76½	76½	76½	76½	+ ½
49¾	49⅞	2,750	Colorado Fuel & Iron	51	51	49¾	49⅞	−1¼
57¼	57¾	460	Colorado & Southern	57½	57½	57	57	− ½
81	82	100	Col. & South. 1st pf.	81¼	81¼	81¼	81¼	...
86	87	200	Col. & Hock. C. & I.	87	87	86½	86½	− ¾
150¼	150¾	5,075	Consolidated Gas	151½	151½	150	150½	− ¾
21½	21⅞	300	Corn Products Ref.	21⅞	21⅞	21⅝	21⅞	+ ⅛
84	85½	400	Corn Prod. Ref. pf.	84	85	84	85	+1
182¼	183½	600	Delaware & Hudson	183	183	182	183	...
49¼	49½	970	Denver & Rio Grande	50	50	49½	49½	− ¼
85½	86½	150	Den. & Rio Grande pf.	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝	− ½
65	66½	625	Detroit United Ry.	66	67	66	67	+4⅞
35¾	36¼	300	*Distillers' Securities	36¼	36¼	35⅞	35⅞	− ⅞
16⅛	16¾	325	Duluth, S. S. & A.	16½	16½	16½	16½	...
31	32	400	Duluth, S. S. & A. pf.	31	31½	31	31½	+1
32⅝	32⅞	1,400	Erie	33	33	32¾	32¾	− ⅛
47	48	300	Erie 1st pf.	47⅝	47⅝	47⅛	47⅛	− ⅛
87	88¼	100	Federal M. & S. pf.	88	88	88	88	− ½
160	160½	1,000	General Electric	160¼	160¾	160	160	+ ½
142	142¼	4,300	Great Northern pf.	143¾	143¾	142	142	−1½
80½	81	2,500	*G. N. certs. ore prop.	81¾	81¾	80½	80½	− ⅛
76¼	88	150	Homestake Mining	76¼	76¼	76¼	76¼	+3
99⅝	..	40	Illinois Ceneral, l. l.	100	100	100	100	...
24⅜	24½	14,400	Interborough-Met.	24¾	24⅞	24	24⅜	− ⅜
58¼	58½	13,100	Interborough-Met. pf.	59	59	57¾	58¼	+ ¼
106⅞	107½	400	Int. Harvester	108	108	107	107	−1
14½	15	400	Int. Paper	14½	14¾	14½	14¾	− ¼
58½	59	300	Int. Paper pf.	58	58	58	58	+ ¼
51¾	52	7,200	Int. Steam Pump	51⅞	53	51⅜	51⅞	+ ¾
90¼	90½	950	Int. Steam Pump pf.	89⅞	90½	89⅜	90½	+1
28	29	200	Iowa Central	29¼	29¼	29	29	+ ¼
51	52	500	Iowa Central pf.	52	52⅛	51	51	−1½
42⅞	43⅛	1,100	Kansas City South.	43⅝	43⅝	42¾	43	− ½
70	71	100	Kan. City South. pf.	70	70	70	70	− ½
108¼	108½	2,000	Laclede Gas, x d	108¼	108¾	108¼	108⅜	+ ½
24½	25	200	Lake Erie & Western	24½	24½	24½	24½	...
150¾	151½	500	Louisville & Nash.	151⅞	151⅞	150¾	150¾	−2¼
92¼	93	100	Mackay Cos.	92½	92½	92½	92½	+ ¼
77	77¼	100	Mackay Cos. pf.	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛	+ ⅛
139	140	250	Manhattan Elevated	139⅛	139⅛	139⅛	139⅛	− ¾
7½	7¾	100	Mercantile Marine	7⅞	7⅞	7¾	7¾	...
24½	24¾	1,400	Mercantile Marine pf.	25¼	25¼	24½	25	...
82	90	100	Minn. & St. Louis pf.	84	84	84	84	...
134¾	135½	600	M., St. P. & S. S. M.	135	135½	135	135½	+1
89⅞	90⅛	100	M., St. P. & S. S. M. l. l.	90	90	90	90	...
47⅞	47¾	1,600	Mo., Kansas & Texas	48	48	47⅛	47⅛	− ⅞
70½	71	1,200	Missouri Pacific	70¾	70¾	70½	70½	− ½
117½	118¼	100	*Nat. Biscuit Co.	117½	117½	117½	117½	− ½
120	124	100	*Nat. Biscuit Co. pf.	123½	123½	123½	123½	+ ½
24¾	24⅞	1,600	Nat. Enam. & Stamp	23½	24⅞	23½	24⅞	+1⅜
98	98½	200	Nat. Enam. & S. pf.	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛	+ ⅞
88¼	88½	1,300	Nat. Lead Co.	88¼	88½	88	88	...
109½	110	200	*Nat. Lead Co. pf.	110	110	110	110	...
55½	56	100	N. Rys. of Mex. 1st pf.	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞	+ ⅛
21⅞	22	1,600	N. Rys. of Mex. 2d pf.	21½	21⅞	21½	21⅝	+ ⅛
126¼	126¾	6,800	N. Y. Central	127½	127¾	126¼	126¼	−1⅜
67	68	200	N. Y., Chi. & St. L.	68½	68¾	67	67	−1
158	159	100	N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	158	158	158	158	+2
46¼	46⅞	1,600	N. Y., Ont. & West.	47⅛	47⅜	46½	47	− ⅛
95⅛	95¼	5,200	Norfolk & Western	95	95⅜	94⅞	94⅞	+ ⅛
80½	81¾	500	North American	82⅞	82⅞	81¾	81¾	−1
143⅛	143¼	5,800	Northern Pacific	144¼	144¼	143⅛	143⅛	− ⅞
35½	36	100	North. Ohio Tr. & L.	35½	35½	35½	35½	+6
43¾	44	1,100	Pacific Mail	45¼	45¼	44	44	−1¼
48	49½	100	Pacific Tel. & Tel.	49	49⅝	49	49⅝	...
130	130⅛	16,430	Pennsylvania R. R.	131	131	130	130	−1
113⅞	114	200	People's Gas, Chi.	114	114	113⅞	113⅞	− ⅛
26½	27	400	Pittsburg Coal	27	27⅛	26½	26¾	− ¼
51¾	52	700	Pressed Steel Car	52⅞	52⅞	51⅜	51¾	−1½
50¼	50⅞	200	*R'way Steel Spring	50⅞	50⅞	50	50	− ⅞
170⅝	170¾	158,300	Reading	170½	172	170¼	170⅝	+ ¾
100	100½	200	Reading 2d pf.	100½	100½	100½	100½	+ ½
46	46¼	1,200	Rep. Iron & Steel	46⅜	46⅞	46	46	− ½
105¾	106	300	Rep. Iron & Steel pf.	106½	106½	106	106	− ½
40⅛	40¼	16,400	Rock Island Co.	40⅜	41¼	40⅛	40⅛	− ⅝
87¾	88¼	11,300	Rock Island Co. pf.	88½	90	88¼	88¼	+ ¾
71	71½	100	St. L. & S. F. 1st pf.	72	72	72	72	+1
58⅞	59	3,116	St. L. & S. F. 2d pf.	59	59½	58¾	59	− ⅛
68	69	65	St. Louis & S. F., C. & E. Ill. new stk. cts.	66¾	69	66¾	69	+3½
34⅝	34¾	7,900	St. Louis Southwest'n	34¾	35¼	34	34⅝	− ⅜
79	79½	5,600	St. L. Southwest'n pf.	77½	79¼	77½	79⅛	+1⅛
88	89	225	Sloss-Shef. S. & Iron	89	89	88	88	− ¾
128¾	129	14,600	Southern Pacific	129½	129¾	128¼	128¾	− ¾
30⅞	31	2,000	Southern R'way ext.	31⅛	31⅜	31	31	− ⅜
68½	69	400	South. R'way pf., ext.	69	69	68½	68½	− ⅝
39	39⅞	100	Tennessee Copper	39½	39½	39½	39½	− ⅞
34½	34⅝	400	Texas & Pacific	34⅞	34⅞	34⅜	34⅝	+ ¼
17¼	17½	2,700	Third Avenue	18	18¼	17⅜	17½	− ⅜
53⅝	54	300	Tol., St. L. & West.	53½	53¾	53½	53¾	+ ⅝
68½	69	300	Tol., St. L. & W. pf.	69⅜	69⅜	69	69	− ⅝
112⅞	113	300	Twin City R. Transit	113¼	113¼	112⅞	112⅞	− ⅜
199¾	200	47,800	Union Pacific	201	201⅜	199¾	199⅞	−1⅛
102½	103	900	Union Pacific pf.	103⅛	103⅛	102⅞	102¾	− ½
120¾	121¼	100	United Dry Goods	121	121	121	121	− ¼
110	110½	260	United Dry Goods pf.	110½	110½	110¼	110¼	− ¼
32½	33½	100	U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	...
84	84½	20	U. S. Cast I. Pipe pf.	84½	84½	84½	84½	− ¼
52½	52¾	850	U. S. Rubber	53½	53½	52¾	52¾	...
116½	117½	400	U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	117½	117½	117⅛	117½	−1
81½	82½	160	U. S. Rubber 2d pf.	82	82	82	82	− ¼
89⅜	89½	165,650	U. S. Steel	90⅜	90⅞	89⅜	89⅜	− ⅝
124⅜	124⅝	1,600	U. S. Steel pf.	124¾	125	124¼	124½	−1⅝
58½	58¾	2,100	Utah Copper	59⅜	59½	58¼	58⅝	− ⅝
48¼	48½	400	Va.-Caro. Chemical	48⅜	48½	48⅜	48⅜	− ¾
121	121¾	100	Va.-Caro. Chem. pf.	121¾	121¾	121¾	121¾	− ⅞
70	72	100	Va. Iron, Coal & C.	71	71	71	71	− ¼
22¼	28	130	Vulcan Detinning	25	25	25	25	...
21	21¼	1,300	Wabash	21⅛	21¼	21	21	+ ½
56⅜	56½	8,600	Wabash pf.	56⅞	57¼	56	56⅜	− ½
550	600	50	Wells Fargo Express	585	585	585	585	− ⅞
44	45	800	Western Md., 4th pd.	45	45	45	45	...
78¼	78⅜	1,250	Western Union Tel.	78	78¼	77½	78¼	...
84	84½	1,200	Westinghouse E. & M.	84⅞	84⅞	84½	84½	+ ⅝
8¼	9	25	Wheel. & Lake Erie	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	+ ⅝
49	49⅞	500	Wisconsin Central	49	49	49	49	−1

*Unlisted.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds and stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r., 1930	100¼	101
2s, c., 1930	100¼	..
3s, r., 1918	101¼	102
3s, c., 1918	101¼	102¼
4s, r., 1925	114¾	115¾
4s, c., 1925	116	..
Pan. 2s, r., 1936	99⅞	100⅜
Pan. 2s, r., 1938	99⅞	100⅝
D. C. 3-65s	106	..
Adams Exp.	238	275
Alb. & S.	280	..
Am. Ag. C. pf.	101½	102½
Am. B. S. pf.	93	96
A. C. & F. pf.	117	121
Am. Coal	100	150
Am. C. O. pf.	103½	107
Am. D. Tel.	10	25
Am. Exp.	247	260
Am. L. Co. pf.	40	41
Am Malt	6	7
Am. M. pf.	42	43
Am. Snuff	250	300
Am. Sn. pf.	99	101
A. T. & C.	80	85
Am. W. Co.	33½	35
Ann Arbor	15	30
Ann A. pf.	..	50
Asso. M. 1st pf.	107½	..
B. & O. pf.	90	93
Beth. S. pf.	67½	68
B., R. & P.	95	105
B., R. & P. pf.	128	132
B. & S. pf.	..	60
Canada So.	68	72½
C. & S. A. Tel.	110	120
C. & A. pf.	..	[illegible]
C., B. & Q.	225	..
C. & E. Ill. pf.	..	124
Chi. Gt. W. pf. A ctfs.	33½	35
Chi. Gt. W. pf. B, 3d paid	25½	26
Chi. Gt. W. deb. ctfs.	60	61
C., I. & L. pf.	40	80
Chi, St. P., M. & Om.	150	160
Chi, St. P., M. & Om. pf.	160	175
Chi. T. T.	2	3
C. T. T. pf.	12	20
Chi Un. T. ctfs sta	4	4½
Chi. Un. T. pf. cts. st.	9	9½
C., C., C. & St L. pf.	105¼	108½
Cleve. & P.	172⅞	..
Col. F. & I. pf.	115	120
Col. So. 2d pf.	80¼	80¾
Cons. Coal	105	..
Crex Carpet	58	62
D., L. & W.	560	600
D. M. & Ft. D.	9	16
D. & M. pf.	..	95
Du P. de N. Pow. pf.	87	88
Erie 2d pf.	38½	40
Ev. & T. H.	56	65
Ev. & T. H. pf.	80	90
F. M. & S.	..	82
Gen. C. Co.	91	93
Gen. C. Co. pf.	104	105
Granby Con.	100	105
G. B. & W.	80	..
Hackensack Water	120	..
Hav. E. R.	87	..
Hav. E. R. pf.	93	..
Hock. V. r.	108	119
Hock. V. pf.	86½	90
Ill Central	146	147
Inger.-Rand.	75	..
Inger.-Rand. pf.	96	..
Int. H. pf.	122	124
Int. Power	..	30
Jel. & Chi.	168⅝	..
K. & M. r.	45	51
Kan. C., Ft. S. & Mem. pf.	80	80½
K. & D. M.	8	10
K. & D. M. pf.	40	50
Kings Co. El. L. & P.	129	133
Kn. I., Chi.	18	30
Kn. I., Chi., pf.	60	80
Lacl. G. pf., ex div.	90	95
L. E. & W. pf.	57½	59
Lake Shore	300	400
Long Island	63	67
Mah. C. R.	310	..
Man. Beach	3	6
Md. C. pf.	50	70
Met. St. R.	20	25
Mich. Cent.	125	150
M. S. T. pf.	..	90
M. & St. L.	52½	54
M., St. P. & S. S. M. pf.	152	154
Mo., K. & T. pf.	73¾	74
Mor. & Es.	186	190
N., C. & St. L.	134	139½
N. Cent. C.	40	60
N. Y. A. B.	94½	96
N. Y., C. & St. L. 1st pf.	105	115
N. Y., C. & St. L. 2d pf.	92	94
N. Y. D. Co.	36	40
N. Y. D. Co. pf.	78	83
N. Y., L. & W.	126	130
N. & W. pf.	88	90
Nor. Cent.	200	..
Ont. Mining	2½	3
Pac. Coast	104	110
Pac. C. 1st pf.	102	108
Pac. C. 2d pf.	104	110
Pac. Tel. & Tel. pf.	95	99½
Peo. & E.	23	26
Phelps-D'ge	200	..
P., C., C. & St. L.	94½	95
P., C., C. & St. L. pf.	100	115
Pitts. C. pf.	65	67
P., Ft. W. & C.	174⅝	..
Pr. St. C. pf.	105	105½
Pullman Co.	190	191½
Quicksilver	4	4⅝
Q'cksil'r pf.	5¾	6
Ry. St. Sp. pf.	108	108½
Rdg. 1st pf.	90¼	92
Rens. & S.	200½	..
R., W. & O.	124	..
Rub. G. M. Co. pf.	100	110
Rutland pf.	30	40
St. J. & G. Island	20	22
St. J. & G. I. 1st pf.	56	58
St. J. & G. I. 2d pf.	38	42½
St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. ctfs.	150	180
St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. pf. ctfs.	..	120
Sears-R. pf.	..	123
S.-S. S. & I. pf.	117½	119
So. Ry., M. & O. ctfs.	84½	90
Texas Cent.	35	..
Texas Cent. pf.	70	..
T. P. L. Tr.	90	92
T., P. & W.	17	20½
T. R. & L.	8⅛	9½
T. C. R. T. pf.	140	144⅝
U. B. & P.	12½	13
U. B. & P. pf.	74	75
Un. Cig. M. pf.	105	109
Un. Rys. In.	40	41
Un. Rys. In. pf.	70	72½
U. S. Exp.	100	110
U. S. R. & Imp't	81	82
U. S. R. & Ref.	10	14
U. S. R. & Ref. pf.	25	32
U. & B. R.	174	..
Vul. D. pf.	75¼	78
Westingh'se 1st pf.	135	140
W. & L. E. 1st pf.	16	18
W. & L. E. 2d pf.	9½	10¾

NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Asked.	Saturday. Bid.	Saturday. Asked.
4s, May, '59	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
4½s, May, '57, l'chg	110	110¼	109⅞	110¼
4½s, Nov., '57, l'chg	110	110¼	109⅞	110¼
4½s, May, '17, l'chg	103	103⅝	103	103⅝
4s, Nov., '58, l'chg	100¼	100⅝	100¼	100⅝
4s, May, '57, l'chg	100¼	100⅝	100¼	100⅝
4s, Nov., '56, reg	100¼	100½	100¼	100½
4s, Nov., '36, reg	99⅞	100¼	99⅞	100¼
3½s, Nov., '55, l'chg	89½	90	89½	90
3½s, May, '54, coup	89½	90	89½	90
3½s, May, '54, reg	89½	89⅞	89½	89⅞
*6s, Nov., '10, rev	102⅝	102⅞	102⅝	102⅞

*Coupon or registered.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Cigar A 4s, March 15, 1911	98	98¾
Am. Cigar B 4s, March 15, 1912	97	97¾
Am. Tel. & Tel. 5s, Jan., 1910	99⅞	100⅛
Atlantic Coast Line 5s, March, 1910	100⅛	100½
Bethlehem Steel Co. 6s, Nov., 1914	99⅝	100¼
C., C., C. & St. L. 5s, June, 1911	100⅛	100⅝
Interborough 6s, May, 1911	102¾	103⅛
Kan. City Ry. & Lt. 6s, Sept., 1912	98½	99
Lack. Steel Co. 5s, March, 1910	99½	99¾
Lake Shore 5s, Feb., 1910	99⅞	100⅛
Louis. & Nash. 5s, March, 1910	100⅛	100⅜
Michigan Central 5s, Feb., 1910	99⅞	100⅛
Minn. & St. Louis 5s, Feb., 1911	99	99½
N. Y. Central 5s, Feb., 1910	99⅞	100⅛
Norfolk & Western 5s, May, 1910	100⅛	100⅜
Pennsylvania 5s, March 15, 1910	100⅛	100¼
Southern 5s, Feb., 1910	99⅞	100
Tidewater Co. 6s, June, 1913	101½	101⅝
West. Elec. & Mfg. 6s, Aug., 1910	100⅛	100⅝

Interest to be added.

BONDS ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

Monday.

Argentine 5s, J. P. Morgan & Co rects
1,000.......95⅞
26,000.......96
Imp Jap Govt 4½s sterling loan
16,000.......94¾
6,000.......94½
500.......94⅝
4,000.......94¼
2,000.......94¼
2d series
8,000.......93⅜
2,500.......93⅜
1,000.......93⅜
500.......93½
Rep of Cuba 5s
5,000.......103
U S Mexico 4s
18,000.......93¾
U S Mexico 5s
1,000.......97½
Va 6s defd, Brown Bros & Co ctfs
5,000.......52
10,000.......52½
N Y City 4s, 1957, registered
2,000.......100⅛
N Y City 4s, 1959
11,000.......100⅜
N Y City 4½s, 1957
3,000.......110¼
2,000.......110
new
20,000.......110¼
8,000.......110⅛
2,000.......110½
7,000.......110⅜
registered
3,000.......110¼
Adams Exp 4s
1,000.......92
Alb & Susq 3½s
3,000.......100¼
7,000.......100
Allis-Chalmers 5s
1,000.......84¾
Am T & T conv 4s
20,000.......104⅛
50,000.......104¼
15,000.......104
70,000.......103¾
5,000.......103⅛
5,000.......103⅞
10,000.......103⅞
Am Tel & Tel col 4s
8,000.......92½
Am Tobacco 6s
31,000.......106
Am Tobacco 4s
12,000.......78¼
2,000.......78⅛
3,000.......78¼
Armour & Co 4½s
14,000.......93¾
1,000.......93⅝
At, T & S F gen 4s
1,000.......99⅞
12,000.......100
35,000.......99⅞
adjustment 4s
2,000.......94¼
3,000.......94⅜
conv 5s
2,000.......120¼
1,000.......120½
3,000.......120⅝
10,000.......120¾
15,000.......120⅝
conv 4s
22,000.......120¼
5,000.......120½
1,000.......120⅞
100,000.......120¼
2,000.......120½
Balt & Ohio gold 4s
1,000.......98⅝
5,000.......99
10,000.......98⅞
P, L E & W V 4s
2,000.......93
5,000s5f.......92½
S W Div 3½s
5,000.......89¾
Beth Steel 5s
4,000.......89
4,000.......89¼
1,000.......89⅜
1,000.......89⅞
12,000.......90
B'way & 7th Av 1st con 5s
1,000.......101½
B'klyn R T refg conv 4s
70,000.......87½
25,000.......87⅜
41,000.......87½
1,000.......87¼
30,000.......87½
10,000.......87⅛
10,000.......87⅜
10,000.......87⅞
5,000.......87⅝
10,000.......87⅜
1,000.......87⅛
2,000.......87⅞
10,000.......87⅜
20,000.......88
10,000.......88⅛
10,000.......88
25,000.......87⅞
8,000.......87½
B'klyn Un Elev 1st
10,000.......103⅛
1,000.......102½
Can So 1st ext 6s
2,000.......104⅜
Cent of Ga Ry con 5s
1,000.......108
1st inc 5s
2,000.......89½
2d inc 5s
10,000.......86
Trust Co ctfs
15,000.......86
3d inc 5s, Trust Co ctfs
1,000.......86
Cent Leather 5s
5,000.......98⅞
4,000.......98¾
10,000.......98½
Cent Pac gtd 4s
25,000.......96⅞
Cent R R & Bkg Co of Ga col 5s
7,000.......104½
Ches & O con 5s
9,000.......113⅜
11,000.......113
Ches & Ohio gen 4½s
4,000.......103¼
1,000.......103⅛
Chi & Alt 3½s
2,000.......73½
C, B & Q gen 4s
9,000.......99
C, B & Q joint 4s
21,000.......95⅞
31,000.......95¾
Neb Ext 4s
1,000.......99⅞
2,000.......100
1,000.......99⅞
Iowa Div 4s
6,000.......99⅝
Chi Gas Light & C 1st 5s
2,000.......104
Chi & N W gen 3½s
10,000.......89⅞
Chi, R I & P gen 4s
2,000.......98⅜
Chi, R I & Pac Ry refunding 4s
1,000.......91⅛
2,000.......91⅜
10,000.......91½
5,000.......91⅜
2,000.......91¼
1,000.......91¼
7,000.......91⅛
13,000.......91½
Chi, R I & P R R 4s
71,000.......80⅛
10,000.......80¼
1,000.......80⅜
6,000.......80¼
100,000.......80¼
10,000.......80⅜
36,000.......80½
81,000.......80⅜
60,000.......80⅜
93,000.......80½
115,000.......80¼
12,000.......80⅞
1,000.......80¾
26,000.......80⅞
110,000.......81
5,000.......80⅞
5,000.......80¾
19,000.......80⅞
65,000.......80⅞
75,000.......80⅞
32,000.......81
50,000.......80⅞
75,000.......81
7,000.......80⅞
20,000.......81
25,000.......80⅞
35,000.......80¾
15,000.......80½
25,000.......80⅝
55,000.......80⅝
36,000.......80⅝
52,000.......80⅝
5,000.......80⅞
1,000.......80¾
15,000.......80⅞
42,000.......80¾
20,000.......80⅝
5,000.......80¾
10,000.......80⅞
51,000.......80¾
2,000.......80⅞
Chi, R I & Pac R R col tr 5s
118,000.......102¼
Col & So 1st 4s
2,000s20f.......97¼
6,000.......97¼
Col & So ref & ext 4½s
1,000.......97⅜
2,000.......97½
Del & Hud conv 4s
5,000.......101⅛
1,000.......101⅜
Den & R G con 4s
1,000.......96
Den & R G 1st & ref 5s
12,000.......93¾
Dist Sec Corp 5s
3,000.......74½
Edison Elect Illum of N Y 1st con 5s
5,000.......110
Erie conv 4s, Series A
5,000.......80½
Erie conv 4s, Series A
5,000.......80⅝
Erie, Penn, col tr 4s
4,000.......83
Gen Elect conv deb 5s
1,000.......147¼
2,000.......147⅝
Green Bay & Wn deb ctfs B
10,000.......19½
15,000.......19⅛
4,000.......19
1,000.......19⅛
5,000.......18
Hous & Texas C gen 4s
1,000.......98½
Ill Cent ref 4s
5,000.......99¼
Inter-Met 4½s
14,000.......83⅞
7,000.......84
15,000.......83⅞
18,000.......84
47,000.......83⅞
40,000.......83¾
16,000.......83⅝
46,000.......83¾
4,000.......83⅞
49,000.......83¾
Interboro R T conv 6s
2,000.......103
Int & G N 6s
2,000.......109⅛
Int Nav 5s
2,000.......83¾
Iowa Cent ref 4s
5,000.......73½
Kanaw & M 1st
5,000.......91½
Kan C, Ft S & M 4s
4,000.......88
Kan City So 3s
1,000.......73½
Lacl Gas L of St L ref & ext 5s
2,000.......100⅜
Lacl Gas L of St L 1st 5s
7,000.......102½
Lacka Steel 5s
1,000.......99¼
2,000.......99½
L S & M S 4s
1,000.......94¾
13,000.......94⅞
1931
8,000.......94¼
Long Island gen 4s
1,000.......98
Lou & Nash gen 6s
3,000.......116⅜
Louis & Nash uni 4s
7,000.......99⅝
Manhatn con 4s
1,000.......97⅛
Mer Mar col tr 4½s
4,000.......71¼
Met St Ry ref 4s Tr Co ctfs stpd
2,000.......53
Met St Ry gen 5s Trust Co ctfs
10,000.......79
M K & T 1st 4s
9,000.......99⅝
M K & T 2d 4s
1,000.......86
M K & T s f 4½s
8,000.......90¼
2,000.......90
6,000.......90¼
Nat Rys of Mex pr ln 4½s
19,000.......94
1,000.......94⅜
5,000.......94½
N Y Air Brake 1st conv 6s
5,000.......114
N Y Cen & H R R deb 4s 1934
20,000.......93¾
L S col 3½s
1,000.......80¼
N Y C & St L 4s
1,000.......99⅝
N Y Gas E L H & P coll tr 5s
1,000.......102⅜
2,000.......102½
pur money 4s
1,000.......83½
N Y Lack & Wn constrn 5s
4,000.......109⅛
N Y N H & H conv deb 6s
6,000.......135
conv 3½s
3,000.......99⅝
7,000.......99⅛
20,000.......99⅞
44,000.......99⅛
500.......99¾
Nor & Wn con 4s
2,000.......98¼
Nor & Wn conv 4s
50,000.......100
10,000.......99⅞
27,000.......100
25,000s20f.......100
3,000.......100
3,000.......99⅞
2,000.......99⅝
4,000.......99¾
Nor Pac gen 3s
1,000.......72¾
Nor Pac 4s
3,000.......103⅛
4,000.......103¼
2,000.......103⅜
registered
2,000.......102
Pac Tel & T 5s
1,000.......99⅜
1,000.......99½
1,000.......99¼
5,000.......99⅜
2,000.......99¼
Penn conv 3½s
5,000.......99⅝
8,000.......99⅞
1915
3,000.......96
1,000.......95⅞
2,000.......95⅞
5,000.......95⅞
10,000.......95¾
1,000.......95⅞
15,000.......95⅝
Penn 3½s 1944
3,000.......91
Penn 4s 1948
2,000.......104½
Penn R R 1st real est 4s
1,000.......104
Peo & E inc 4s
3,000.......63
Reading gen 4s
4,000.......99½
3,000.......99⅝
2,000s5f.......99⅛
3,000s5f.......99
Rep I & S 5s
3,000.......101⅞
St J & G I 1st 4s
1,000.......96
St L Ir Mt & So gen 5s
5,000.......109
St L Southwn 1st 4s
4,000.......93
con 4s
12,000.......79
St Paul Min & M 1st con 6s, red to 4½s
1,000.......106
Mont ext 4s
2,000.......99
Southern Pac 4s
2,000.......90½
5,000.......90⅝
So Pac conv 4s
25,000.......102⅝
4,000.......102¾
3,000.......102⅝
30,000.......102⅝
15,000.......102⅞
25,000.......102⅝
10,000.......102½
2,000.......102⅝
1,000.......102½
18,000.......102⅝
2,000.......102½
5,000.......102⅝
22,000.......102½
10,000.......102⅝
So Pac 1st ref 4s
5,000.......94¾
3,000.......94⅝
1,000.......94¾
2,000.......94⅝
17,000.......94⅞
8,000.......94⅝
22,000.......94½
5,000.......94⅝
South Ry 1st 5s
1,000s20f.......110
1,000.......110½
South Railway gen 4s
8,000.......80½
Tex & Pac 1st 5s
5,000.......112
Third Av con 4s
2,000.......69½
5,000.......70
Third Av con 4s Con Tr Co ctfs stamped
40,000.......69¼
30,000.......69⅛
10,000.......69⅜
25,000.......69⅞
25,000.......69⅝
1,000.......69⅛
73,000.......69⅜
25,000.......69⅜
20,000.......69⅛
17,000.......68¾
17,000.......68½
5,000.......68⅝
65,000.......68½
10,000.......68⅝
27,000.......68¾
15,000.......68¼
28,000.......68⅜
2,000.......68⅞
8,000.......69
10,000.......68⅞
4,000.......68⅞
20,000.......68⅞
3,000.......68½
Tol St L & W 4s
2,000.......79⅞
Un Pac 1st 4s
8,000.......102⅝
23,000.......102½
5,000.......102⅝
11,000.......102⅜
4,000.......102⅝
10,000.......102½
Un Pac conv 4s
30,000.......115⅝
5,000.......115⅞
2,000s15f.......115½
2,000.......115¼
6,000.......115
5,000.......114¾
10,000.......114⅞
8,000.......114½
17,000.......114⅞
Un Pac 1st & ref 4s
1,000.......98
12,000.......97⅞
Un R R of San Fr 4s
1,000.......74½
U S Rubber 6s
1,000.......104⅛
2,000.......104½
1,000.......104¼
U S Steel Corp sinkg fd 5s
5,000.......105
25,000.......105⅛
1,000.......105
2,000.......105⅛
1,000.......105
1,000.......104⅞
1,000.......105
Va Car Ch 1st 5s
1,000.......97¼
Wabash 2d 5s
5,000.......102
Wabash R R ref & ext 4s
7,000.......76¼
75,000.......76⅜
10,000.......76¼
66,000.......76⅜
30,000.......76¼
6,000.......76¼
30,000.......76⅛
18,000.......76¼
50,000.......76⅜
Wab Pts Ter 1st Tr Co ctfs
10,000.......48½
10,000.......48¼
Westn Maryld 4s
1,000.......83⅞
Western Union con 4s Ser A
2,000.......101
West Un fund & real est 4½s
4,000.......96¼
5,000.......96⅝
Westingh El & M 1st conv s f 5s
1,000.......94⅝
3,000.......94
15,000.......93⅞
Wis Cen gen 4s
1,000.......94½

Total sales Dec. 6, 1909 .... $4,964,000
Since Jan. 1, 1909 1,225,180,200
Corresponding period last year 951,552,520

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

Monday.

Many of the traders on the Consolidated Exchange were disposed to adopt a conservative policy, and were not inclined to operate on an extensive scale pending the publication of the President's message. Business, however, was fairly active, the sales totaling 99,860 shares, distributed among 58 different issues. Prices showed a good deal of irregularity at times during the day compared with quotations on the New York Stock Exchange. Generally the early tone was that of firmness, but on the afternoon rallies stocks were offered freely, excepting in special cases.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
10	Allis-Chalmers	55	55	55	55
6,120	Amal. Copper	87⅞	88	86⅜	86½
100	Am. Beet Sug.	46⅝	46¾	46⅝	46¾
130	Am. Car & F.	73	73	71¼	71¼
90	Am. Cot. Oil	68⅜	68½	68⅜	68½
830	Am. Can	14½	14½	14⅛	14⅛
10	Am. Hide & L.	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
20	A. H. & L. pf.	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾
90	Am. Loco.	61¾	61⅞	61¼	61⅜
4,500	Am. Smelting	99	99⅝	98⅛	98¼
1,120	Am. Sugar	121⅝	121⅝	118¼	120¼
320	Anacon. Cop.	49¼	49¼	48⅝	48⅝
570	A., T. & S. F.	120⅝	121	120¼	120⅝
10	Balt. & Ohio	115⅝	115⅝	115⅝	115⅝
5,580	Brook. R. T.	80⅞	82½	80	81¾
120	Cent. Leather	46¼	46¼	46¼	46¼
370	Ches. & Ohio	86⅜	86⅞	86¼	86⅝
250	C., M. & St. P.	155¼	155¼	154½	154¾
1,190	Col. Fuel & I.	51	51	49⅞	49⅞
170	Con. Gas	151⅝	151⅝	150½	151¼
60	Corn Products	21⅞	22	21⅞	22
360	Den. & R. G.	50	50	49½	49½
40	Dist. Sec.	36½	36½	36	36
30	Erie	33	33	32⅞	32⅞
90	Gt. Nor. pf.	142⅜	142⅜	142⅛	142⅛
10	Gt. N. ore ctfs.	80⅜	80⅜	80⅜	80⅜
1,000	Inter.-Met.	24¾	24¾	24⅛	24⅜
1,060	Inter.-Met. pf.	58⅜	58⅜	57¾	58⅛
50	Int. M. M. pf.	25	25	25	25
60	Mo., K. & T.	47⅞	47⅞	47¼	47⅜
20	Mo. Pacific	70½	70½	70⅜	70⅜
300	Nat. Lead	88¼	88½	88	88
310	N. Y. Central	127½	127½	126¼	126⅜
40	N. Y., O. & W.	46⅝	47⅛	46⅝	47⅛
30	Norf. & West.	95⅜	95⅜	95¼	95¼
120	Nor. Pacific	144	144	143⅛	143⅜
280	Pacific Mail	45¼	45¼	44	44⅜
1,020	Pennsylvania	130⅞	131	130¼	130½
20	Penn. rights	7	7	7	7
60	Pitts. Coal	27	27	26½	26½
140	Pressed Steel	53	53	52¼	52¼
27,680	Reading	170⅜	172¼	170¼	170⅜
50	Republic Steel	46½	46½	46½	46½
1,280	Rock Island	40⅜	41⅛	40¼	40¼
260	Rock Isl. pf.	88⅛	90	88⅛	89⅛
320	St. L. S. W.	34½	35	34½	35
1,500	Southern Pac.	129⅝	129⅞	128⅝	129
260	Southern Ry.	31¼	31½	30⅞	31
20	Texas Pacific	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝
150	Third Av.	17⅞	18⅛	17⅝	17⅝
10,320	Union Pacific	201	201⅜	199⅞	200
180	U. S. Rubber	53½	53½	53	53
30,790	U. S. Steel	90⅝	91	89⅜	89½
100	U. S. Steel pf.	124⅝	124¾	124½	124½
30	Utah Copper	59	59	59	59
10	Wabash	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼
970	Wabash pf.	57¼	57¼	56⅛	56½
40	West. Elec.	84½	84½	84½	84½
100,160					

MINING STOCKS.

1,000	Atlanta	.11	.11	.11	.11
300	Belcher	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
400	C. C. & Va.	.90	.90	.90	.90
200	Diamondfield	.02	.02	.02	.02
125	Goldf. Con.	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
3,000	Goldf. Flor.	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
1,000	Kendall	.05	.05	.05	.05
500	Mexican	1.45	1.50	1.45	1.50
500	Mollie Gibson	.06	.06	.06	.06
250	Ophir	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80
500	Sandstorm	.05½	.05½	.05½	.05½
500	Silver Pick	.08	.08	.08	.08
50	Tono. Min.	6.75	6.75	6.75	6.75
100	Tonopah Ext.	.49	.49	.49	.49
100	Union Con.	.60	.60	.60	.60
800	Yellow Jacket	1.10	1.12½	1.10	1.12½
8,825					

WHEAT.

275,000	May option	1.05⅞	1.07⅝	1.05⅞	1.07⅝

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

	1909.	1908.	Increase.
CHICAGO, INDIANAPOLIS & LOUISVILLE—			
4th week Nov.	$144,655	$119,383	$25,272
Month Nov.	486,195	419,365	66,830
July 1-Nov. 30.	2,559,351	2,326,807	232,544
COLORADO & SOUTHERN—			
4th week Nov.	467,007	426,906	40,101
Month Nov.	1,528,926	1,437,267	91,659
July 1-Nov. 30.	7,194,317	6,679,046	515,271
DETROIT & MACKINAC—			
4th week Nov.	25,236	23,600	1,635
Month Nov.	88,539	84,081	4,458
July 1-Nov. 30.	513,833	471,954	41,878
DULUTH, SOUTH SHORE & ATLANTIC—			
4th week Nov.	68,283	66,425	1,858
Month Nov.	263,784	233,059	30,725
July 1-Nov. 30.	1,512,672	1,203,594	309,078
GRAND TRUNK—			
4th week Nov.	1,127,838	1,007,266	120,571
Month Nov.	3,839,761	3,545,458	294,303
July 1-Nov. 30.	19,302,687	17,770,326	1,532,361
GREAT NORTHERN—			
Month Nov.	5,962,187	5,673,562	288,625
July 1-Nov. 30.	30,146,707	26,669,912	3,476,795
INTERNATIONAL & GREAT NORTHERN—			
4th week Nov.	269,000	265,000	4,000
Month Nov.	846,000	833,000	13,000
July 1-Nov. 30.	3,643,000	3,557,000	86,000
LONDON UNDERGROUND—			
3d week Nov.	£29,885	£27,369	£2,795
Jan. 1-Nov. 20.	1,316,759	1,263,903	52,856
MINN., ST. PAUL & SAULT STE. MARIE—			
4th week Nov.	$584,549	$444,708	$139,841
Month Nov.	2,121,625	1,730,387	391,238
July 1-Nov. 30.	10,831,169	9,376,889	1,454,280
MINERAL RANGE—			
4th week Nov.	24,062	23,055	1,007
Month Nov.	70,603	70,021	582
July 1-Nov. 30.	865,783	861,242	4,541
MISSOURI PACIFIC—			
4th week Nov.	1,500,000	1,286,000	214,000
Month Nov.	4,608,306	4,006,048	602,558
July 1-Nov. 30.	22,735,554	19,935,650	2,819,904
MOBILE & OHIO—			
4th week Nov.	295,676	257,330	38,346
Month Nov.	888,775	880,432	8,343
July 1-Nov. 30.	4,270,634	4,042,986	227,648
PERE MARQUETTE—			
Month Nov.	1,373,661	1,189,803	183,858
July 1-Nov. 30.	6,923,562	6,098,297	825,265
TOLEDO, PEORIA & WESTERN—			
4th week Nov.	34,337	31,896	2,441
Month Nov.	91,911	88,532	3,379
July 1-Nov. 30.	485,707	487,972	*2,265
TWIN CITY LINES—			
3d week Nov.	137,196	122,580	14,615
Jan. 1-Nov. 21.	6,115,473	5,630,879	484,594
DELAWARE & HUDSON for October—			
Mileage	845	845	......
Total op. rev.	1,836,201	1,725,797	110,404
Total op. exp.	918,502	932,946	*14,443
Net op. rev.	917,699	792,851	124,848
Out. op. (debit).	75	140	*64
Total net rev.	917,623	792,710	124,912
Taxes	35,000	35,000	......
Op. income	882,623	757,710	124,912
July 1 to Oct. 31:			
Total op. rev.	6,704,086	6,411,403	292,633
Total op. exp.	3,803,269	3,586,704	216,564
Net op. rev.	2,900,767	2,824,698	76,069
Out. op. (net)	2,971	1,965	1,006
Total net rev.	2,903,739	2,826,664	77,075
Taxes	140,000	140,000	......
Op. income	2,763,739	2,686,664	77,075
DULUTH & IRON RANGE for October—			
Mileage	167	167	......
Total op. rev.	1,280,069	1,066,665	213,403
Total op. exp.	387,762	312,344	75,418
Net. op. rev.	892,306	754,320	137,985
Outside op., net.	1,474	719	754
Total net rev.	893,780	755,040	138,740
Taxes	51,344	42,802	8,542
Op. income	842,346	712,238	130,107
July 1 to Oct. 31:			
Total op. rev.	5,484,404	3,999,675	1,484,729
Total op. exp.	1,437,883	1,133,028	304,854
Net op. rev.	4,046,520	2,866,646	1,179,874
Outside op., net.	25,327	14,316	11,011
Total net revs.	4,071,848	2,880,962	1,190,886
Taxes	219,775	161,196	58,578
Op. income	3,852,073	2,719,765	1,132,307
NORFOLK & WESTERN for October—			
Mileage	1,911	1,921	20
Total op. rev.	3,045,354	2,529,666	515,687
Total op. exp.	1,799,129	1,485,418	313,710
Net op. revs.	1,246,225	1,044,247	201,977
Outside op., deb.	3,461	†902	4,363
Total net revs.	1,242,763	1,045,150	197,613
Taxes	84,000	87,600	*3,600
Op. income	1,158,763	957,550	201,213
July 1 to Oct. 31:			
Total op. rev.	11,553,005	9,912,389	1,640,615
Total op. exp.	6,729,439	5,872,180	857,249
Net op. revs.	4,823,565	4,040,199	783,366
Outside op. deb.	7,704	617	7,087
Total net revs.	4,815,860	4,039,582	776,278
Taxes	336,000	350,400	*14,400
Op. income	4,479,860	3,689,182	790,678
PENNSYLVANIA R. R. CO. for October:			
Mileage	4,017	4,023	*6
Total op. revs.	14,527,055	12,465,298	1,961,756
Total op. exp.	9,254,281	8,381,536	872,744
Net op. revs.	5,172,773	4,083,762	1,089,011
Outside op., deb.	60,912	23,386	37,526
Total net rev.	5,111,861	4,060,375	1,051,485
Taxes	197,526	197,526	......
Op. income	4,914,335	3,862,849	1,051,485
July 1 to Oct. 31:			
Total op. revs.	53,722,455	46,410,279	7,312,175
Total op. exp.	34,999,114	36,311,403	3,687,710
Net op. revs.	18,723,340	15,098,875	3,624,464
Outside op., deb.	299,592	†317,496	617,089
Total net revs.	18,423,747	15,416,372	3,007,375
Taxes	790,104	790,104	......
Oper. income	17,633,642	14,626,267	3,007,375

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TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

London Buying Steel Common.

Cables received in Wall Street yesterday from London reported the purchase by London banking houses of calls on over 100,000 shares of United States Steel common. This item was distinctly reminiscent of the inception of the long bull movement in Steel, for when it started an identical report regarding the buying of calls by London came over the cables. At that time, however, London was also a seller of calls and New York was the buyer. It was the buying in of half the stock covered by the calls, a regular practice with London, which started Steel common forward so sharply after President Taft's inauguration. It would require more faith than the average trader possesses at the moment to believe that the present reports regarding the buying of calls on the stock are the forerunners of another big rise.

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The Gold Outflow.

Announcement was made yesterday of the proposed shipment to-morrow of $400,000 to Argentina by a private banking house, this being the only addition which the day brought to the movement of the metal to South America, the shipments to which quarter of the globe from New York have this year exceeded all previous records. The demand for currency on the Pacific Coast was further reflected yesterday in the transfer through the Sub-Treasury to San Francisco of $300,000 by Seligman & Co. and in arrangements made by Laidlaw & Co. for the transfer of $500,000 additional to the same city today. While the amount involved in yesterday's engagement for export was not large, it gained importance by reason of being made coincidently with a further rise in foreign exchange rates, which led to discussion of the possibility of direct shipments of gold to Europe. So far the gold outflow has been confined to points on this hemisphere, although the transactions, so far at least as the exports to South America are concerned, have practically all been carried on for European account.

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Distribution of Day's Trading.

Out of total tradings amounting to 785,000 shares about 43 per cent. was made up of the dealings in United States Steel common and Reading, the former of which supplied 165,000 shares and Reading 158,000 shares. Another 34 per cent. of the total was made up of the trading in the stocks of eight other companies, the aggregate sales of which were over 230,000 shares, as against 323,000 divided between Steel and Reading. This left but 174,000 for the scores of other stocks which found a place in the day's record of sales. No less than thirty-eight of the issues included in the day's transactions contributed a solitary 100-share lot to the business of the day.

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Agricultural Chemical Dividend?

Notices were sent out yesterday stating that at the regular meeting of the Directors of the American Agricultural Chemical Company, to be held on Thursday, the question of making an initial disbursement on the common stock would come up. The company's $32,000,000 of 6 per cent. cumulative preferred has paid dividends regularly since 1899, but nothing has yet been paid on the $20,000,000 common. Nothing in the recent course of the stock has indicated dividend prospects. Last week's transactions were only 2,000 shares, on which there was a decline of 2½ points. Yesterday the close showed a net gain of ⅛.

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Cotton Exchange Seats Down.

Although the officials of the Cotton Exchange had nothing to say yesterday in reply to the latest strictures of Commissioner of Corporations Herbert Knox Smith, there was no disposition among the members to feel the uneasiness which followed the Government's criticisms of two years ago. The whole system of cotton trading was then thoroughly investigated, and as a result a number of changes were made, which it was believed answered the critics. The complaints then came chiefly from the planters, who saw in the New York market the prime cause of low prices. There have been no Southern Congressmen heard from this year. A seat sold yesterday at $17,500, which is $1,000 below the price fetched at the last sale, made on Nov. 18, but there was hardly a reflection of the adverse Government report in this, since it is to be presumed that the bargain was closed before the report of Commissioner Smith was made public.

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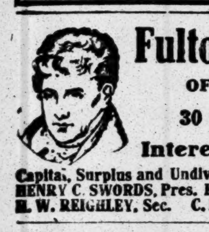

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BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$3,000	A. C. L. con. 4s	95¼	95¼	95¼
31,000	A. C. L. 4s ctfs	101½	100¾	101½
8,000	Anacostia & P. 5s	102	102	102
1,000	Baltimore Elec. 5s	90¼	90¼	90¼
17,000	Cotton Duck 5s	79¼	79	79
12,000	Cons. Gas 6s	100¼	100⅛	100⅛
2,000	Cons. Gas 5s	110	110	110
1,000	Fair. & Clarks. T. 5s	96	96	96
5,000	Georgia & Ala. 5s	105	104¼	105
8,000	Ga. & Pacific 1st	113¾	113¾	113¾
8,000	Macon, D. & S. 5s	97	97	97
2,000	M'land Elec. 5s	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
6,000	McCalls F. P. 5s	50	50	50
7,000	N. N. & O. P. C. 5s	93	93	93
1,000	Sparrow's Pt. 4½s	93	93	93
21,000	Seaboard adj. 5s	72½	72½	72½
102,000	Seaboard 4s ctfs	84¾	84¾	84¾
5,000	Seaboard 3-year 5s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
1,000	Seaboard 10-year 5s	99¼	99¼	99¼
2,000	Seaboard 4s	85	85	85
19,000	United Rys. fdg. 5s	85	84¼	85
2,000	United Rys. 4s	86⅜	86½	86½
9,000	United Rys. inc	60¾	60¾	60¾

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
45	Am. Caramel pf	101	101	101
15	Balt. Elec. pf	40	40	40
230	Consol. Coal	111	111	111
810	Cotton Duck pf	21	20½	21
25	Citizens' Bank	89¼	89¼	89¼
25	Con. G., E. L., H. & Power pf.	82	82	82
105	G. C. Coal & Iron	99	99	99
100	Houston Oil pf	89½	89¼	89½
10	Norfolk Ry. & Light	19½	19½	19½
100	Norfolk & P. Trac	19	19	19
185	Seaboard Co. 1st pf	79	78¾	79
40	S'board Air L. com	21½	21¼	21½
280	S'board Air Line pf	84	81½	83½
4,125	Seaboard Co. com	25¼	23⅞	25¼
7,816	Seaboard Co. 2d pf	45	42½	45
50	U. S. Fidelity	140	140	140

PITTSBURG TRANSACTIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 6.—The following were the transactions on the local Exchange to-day:

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
1,195	Crucible Steel	14½	14½	14⅛
381	Crucible Steel pf	90	89⅞	90
189	Fireproof	8½	8⅜	8⅜
50	Fireproof pf	28½	28½	28½
25	Harbison-W. Ref. pf	95	95	95
130	Mfrs. L. & H.	14¼	14¼	14¼
186	Ohio Fuel	49⅞	49¾	49⅞
80	Pitts. Brew.	22⅞	22⅝	22⅝
100	Pitts. Coal pf	67	66⅞	66⅞
100	Ross Mining	.25	.25	.25
360	Shoshone	1.50	1.50	1.50
45	U. S. Steel	90⅝	90¼	90⅝
20	U. S. Steel pf	125	124	124
50	Westinghouse A. B.	143	143	143
22	Westingh. Elec. 2ds	42½	42½	42½
80	West Penn. pf	76¾	76¾	76¾

UNLISTED.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
180	Ohio Fuel Oil	6	6	6
122	Pure Oil	5	4⅞	4⅞
1,100	San Toy	.39	.38	.39
300	Silver Peak	.66	.66	.66

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$4,000	Ind. Brew. 6s	79¾	79¾	79¾
27,000	Jones & Laughlin 5s	101¼	101	101¼
8,000	Pitts. Coal 5s	105	105	105
1,000	Southern Trac. 5s	97	97	97

FIFTH AVENUE TRUST COMPANY
Fifth Ave. and Forty-third Street, New York
OFFICERS
LEVI P. MORTON, - - - President
WM. V. SLOANE, Vice-Pres. CECIL D. LANDALE, 2nd Vice-Pres.
JAMES M. PRATT, Secretary WALTER MEACHAM, Asst. Secretary
Capital and Surplus $2,000,000
Interest is allowed on daily balances.
Certificates of Deposit payable at a specified time are issued, on which special rates are allowed.
Household, Ladies' and Business Accounts are solicited.
Entire charge taken of personal and real property.
Safe Deposit Vaults

Capital - - $1,000,000
Surplus & Profits, 1,500,000
COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY
135 Broadway
NEW YORK CITY
WILLARD V. KING, President
WILLIAM H. NICHOLS, Vice-President HOWARD BAYNE, V.-Pres. & Treas.
LANGLEY W. WIGGIN, Secretary FRED C. MARSTON, Asst. Secretary
PARK TERRELL, Mgr. Municipal Dept. GEORGE E. WARREN, Trust Officer
DIRECTORS
JOHN D. BARRETT, Johnson & Higgins, Insurance.
SAMUEL G. BAYNE, President Seaboard National Bank
ROBERT S. BRADLEY, Chairman Am. Agricultural Chemical Co.
FREDERICK H. EATON, President Am. Car and Foundry Co.
JAMES M. GIFFORD, Gifford, Hobbs & Beard, Attorneys.
HENRY GOLDMAN, Goldman, Sachs & Co., Bankers.
WILLIAM N. HARTE, Treas. Title Insurance Co. of New York.
A. B. HEPBURN, President Chase National Bank.
WILLARD V. KING, President of the Company.
G. HERMANN KINNICUTT, Kissel, Kinnicutt & Co., Bankers.
ANTHONY R. KUSER, Pres. So. Jersey Gas, Elec. & Trac. Co.
JOHN R. McGINLEY, Manufacturer, Pittsburg, Pa.
CHARLES F. MATHEWSON, Krauthoff, Harmon & Mathewson, Attys.
GEO. BARCLAY MOFFAT, Moffat & White, Bankers.
WILLIAM H. NICHOLS, Chairman General Chemical Co.
AUGUSTUS G. PAINE, President New York and Penn. Co.
WM. R. PETERS, Peters, White & Co., Chemicals.
CLARENCE W. SEAMANS, President Union Typewriter Co.
HERMANN SIELCKEN, Crossman & Sielcken, Merchants.
FREDERICK STRAUSS, J. & W. Seligman & Co., Bankers.
ARTHUR TURNBULL, Post & Flagg, Bankers.
MICHAEL M. VAN BUREN, Van Buren, Martin & Jesup, Bankers.
INDEPENDENT OF THE CONTROL OF ANY SINGLE INTEREST

TO THE BONDHOLDERS
OF THE
BRISTOL GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY
OF NEW YORK:

TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to Section Twelve of the mortgage, dated January 1st, 1903, of the above-named Company to Atlantic Trust Company, Trustee, which Company has been merged with and now exists in the undersigned, Bonds Nos. 93, 94, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 279, and 320, secured thereby, have been drawn by lot and are called for payment and must be presented to the undersigned on January 1st, 1910, at which time they will be paid at par with a premium of ten per centum and accrued interest.

No. 49 Wall Street, New York City, November 27th, 1909.

METROPOLITAN TRUST COMPANY
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TRUSTEE,
By BEVERLY CHEW,
2d Vice President.

THE EUROPEAN MARKETS.

Trading in Americans Bullish on the London Exchange.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Money was in increased demand and discount rates were easy on the market to-day.

On the Stock Exchange further good investment and Continental support imported cheerfulness; and consols, colonial issues, and foreign and home railroad shares all improved. Renewed speculative attention strengthened Kaffirs and copper shares, but the latter closed below the best.

American securities opened a fraction higher and later improved under Wall Street and professional support. At noon prices were from ¼ to a point higher than Saturday's New York closing. Sentiment continued bullish during the early afternoon on good trade forecasts and the expectation of a favorable Presidential message. Near the close New York selling caused a moderate decline, and the market closed dull but steady.

Barsilver steady, 23 11-16d per ounce.

Money, 3½@4 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 4@4⅛ per cent.; for three months' bills, 3⅞@3 15-16 per cent.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—Prices on the Bourse to-day were firm.

Three per cent. rentes, 99f for the account.

Exchange on London, 25f 20½c for checks.

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—Prices showed irregular changes on the Boerse to-day. Domestic shares generally were weaker, but American shares were firm.

LONDON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	London.	N. Y. Equiv.	N. Y. Close.	Net Ch'ge.
Consols, money	83 1-16	..	..	+3-16
Consols, account	83 5-16	..	..	+ ⅛
Anaconda	10⅛	49⅜	49¼	+ ⅛
Atchison	124⅛	121⅛	120	+ 1⅛
Canadian Pacific	184¾	180⅛	180⅛	..
St. Paul	159	155¼	155	+ ¼
Erie	34	33⅛	33¼	− ⅛
Erie 1st pf	48¾	47½	47⅝	− ⅛
Illinois Cent.	150	146¼	145	+ 1¼
Louis. & Nash	156	152¼	153	− ¾
N. Y. Cent.	131	127¾	127⅝	+ ⅛
Pennsylvania	67¼	131¼	131	+ ¼
Reading	87½	170⅝	170⅜	+ ¼
So. Pacific	132⅝	129½	129½	..
Union Pac.	206¼	201¼	201	+ ¼
U. S. Steel	93⅛	90⅝	90⅝	..
U. S. Steel pf	128	*124⅞	124⅞	..

FOREIGN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
German consols 3½s	93½	94½
German consols 3s	84	85
Prussian Government 4s	101½	102½
Bavarian Government 4s	101¼	102¼
Hessian Government 3½s	92	93
Saxony Government 3s	83¼	84¼
Hamburg Government 3s	82½	83½
City of Berlin 4s	101	102
City of Cologne 4s	100¾	101¾
City of Augsburg 4s	100	101
City of Munich 4s	100¾	101¾
City of Frankfort-on-the-Main 3½s	92¼	93¼
City of Vienna 4s	96½	97½
Mexican Government gold 5s	100¼	101¼
Russian Government gold 4s	90½	91½
French Government 3s	98	99
British consols 2½s	82¾	83¼

American Mining Stocks in London.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Camp Bird	1	8	9	Esperanza	2	16	0
Tomboy	0	19	3	Dolores	1	10	0
El Oro	1	5	6	Stratton's Ind.	0	8	3

METAL MARKET REPORTS.

On the Metal Exchange yesterday business was quiet, although copper was a shade higher in the asking price. Tin was strong, at an improvement of about ¼c. Lead and spelter were unchanged.

On the Metal Exchange in London yesterday copper, for both spot and future deliveries, scored a gain of 17s 6d from the final figures of Friday. The market finished firm, closing prices ruling at: Spot, £59 5s; futures, £60 7s 6d. Pig tin ended steady, with spot deliveries up £1 2s 6d, to £144 2s 6d, and future deliveries £1 higher, to £145 17s 6d. Spelter continued steady and unchanged, at £23. Spanish pig lead was steady and unchanged, at £12 17s 6d. Cleveland warrants were quoted at 50s 7½d.

The closing bid and asked prices for copper and other metals for spot deliveries on the New York Metal Exchange yesterday compare as follows with those of Friday:

	Monday.		Friday.	
Standard copper:	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
Spot	12.75	13.00	12.75	12.85
December	12.75	13.00	12.75	12.85
January	12.76	13.05	12.75	13.00
February	12.80	13.15	12.75	13.00
Spelter	6.10	6.30	6.10	6.30
Lead	4.37½	4.42½	4.37½	4.42½
Tin	31.75	32.00	31.55	31.70

Fortnightly letter by an authority, analyzing industrial and financial conditions, sent on request.
It is our custom to furnish for the assurance of our customers a quarterly statement sworn to by certified public accountants.
Warren W. Erwin & Co.
Members Consolidated Stock Exchange of N. Y.
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54-56 Broad Street, New York.
Interest allowed on deposits, subject to check. Commission orders executed for cash, or on ample margin. New accounts solicited.

Philadelphia manager, connections financial and social, best references, active following, would like branch office for conservative New York Stock Exchange house. X 135, Central Branch, Public Ledger, Philadelphia, Penn.

Morton Trust Company
LEVI P. MORTON, President
38 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK
Capital, $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits, 7,500,000
Manages Estate and Trust Funds

Executor Chartered 1822 Trustee
The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company,
Nos. 16, 18, 20 & 22 William Street.
Branch Office, 475 Fifth Avenue, New York.
LONDON: 18 Bishopsgate St. Within. PARIS: 41 Boulevard Haussmann
Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Cable Transfers.
Travelers' Letters of Credit
Payable Throughout the World
Administrator Guardian

Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co.
Transcontinental Short Line
First Mortgage 4% Gold Bonds
DUE JULY 1, 1958
Price, at the market, yield 4.26%.
CLARK, DODGE & CO.
51 Wall Street BANKERS New York

ANDREW J. McCORMACK, Auctioneer.
REGULAR AUCTION SALE OF
STOCKS AND BONDS
By ADRIAN H. MULLER & SON
OFFICE, NO. 55 WILLIAM ST.,
Wednesday, Dec. 8th, 1909
at 12:30 o'clock, at the
EXCHANGE SALESROOM,
NOS. 14 AND 16 VESEY STREET.

BY ORDER OF EXECUTORS.
180 shs. Gray National Telautograph Co.
100 shs. International Umbrella Co.
200 shs. Knollwood Cemetery.
$1,000 Knollwood Cemetery 1st Mtge. 6% Gold Bds., 1924.
50 shs. Metropolitan Jockey Club.
$5,000 Metropolitan Jockey Club Consld. Mtge. 5% Bds., 1927.
$10,000 Second Avenue R. R. Co. 1st Consld. 5 p. c. Bds., 1948 (Ctf. of Dep.)
10 shs. Astor Trust Co.
1 share Jekyl Island Club.
10 bond shares N. Y. Realty Owners Co.

BY ORDER OF ADMINISTRATORS.
20 shs. National City Bank of Brooklyn.
17 shs. Long Island Loan and Trust Co.
50 shs. Consolidated Gas Co.
60 shs. National Fuel Gas Co.
42 shs. Standard Oil Co. of N. J.
$1,000 Brooklyn & New York Ferry Co. 1st Mtge. 6% Bd., 1911.
8 60-80 shs. United States Casualty Co.
25 shs. Nat'l Park Bank.
25 shs. Washington Trust Co.
25 shs. Irving Nat'l Exchange Bank.
25 shs. Market & Fulton Nat'l Bank.
20 shs. Mutual Bank.

FOR ACCT. OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
25 shs. Union Typewriter Co. common.
20 shs. Farmers' Loan and Trust Co.
37 shs. Trust Co. of America.
38 shs. Union Bank of B'klyn, (Trust Ctfs.)
5 shs. Title Guarantee and Trust Co.
5 shs. State Bank.
10 shs. Night and Day Bank.
41 shs. Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R. (Special Guar.)
20 shs. Pitts., Youngstown & Ashtabula R. R. 7% Pfd.
44 shs. Pitts., Cin., Chic. & St. Louis R. R. 5% Pfd.
28 shs. Pitts., McKeesport & Youghiogheny R. R. Co.
50 shs. Farmers' Loan and Trust Co.
100 shs. Coney Island & Brooklyn R. R. Co.
100 shs. Bank of New York N. B. A.
14 shs. Union Bank of Brooklyn.
50 shs. Trust Co. of America.
10 shs. Hall Signal Co. common.
$28,000 28th & 29th Streets Crosstown R. R. Co. 1st Mtge. 5%, due 1996, (Bond Holders' Committee Receipts.)
$8,000 National Mutual Fire Ins. Co. of Wilmington, Del., 6% Skg. Fund Bds., 1939.
200 shs. Greene-Cananea Copper Co.
100 shs. Susquehanna R'way Light and Power Co. Pfd.
25 shs. Corn Exchange Bank.
2 shs. Lawyers Mortgage Co.
3 shs. Brooklyn Borough Gas Co.
2 shs. Union Elevated R. R. Pfd.
3 shs. National Bank of Commerce.
20 shs. Chase National Bank.
10 shs. Union Typewriter Co. 2d Pfd.
20 shs. Kings County Mtge. Co.
4 shs. Bond and Mortgage Guar. Co.
$25,000 Central R'wy Syndicate Participation Ctf., full paid.
20 shs. Lawyers Mortgage Co.
25 shs. Guaranty Trust Co.
100 shs. Guardian Trust Co.
$5,000 Second Avenue R. R. 1st Consld. 5% Bds., ctf. of deposit.
11 shs. Union Bank of Brooklyn trust ctf.
$1,000 Etowah Power Co. 1st Mtg. 5% Bds., July, 1907, coupon on, and $250 do. scrip.
$20,000 Etowah Power Co. 1st Mtg. 5% Bds., July, 1907, coupon on.
$16,000 North Georgia Electric Co. 1st and Refdg. 5% Bds., Sept., 1907, coupons on.
1,520 shs. Nesmith & Constantine Co. common.
39 shs. City Investing Co. pfd.
$10,000 Cin., Hamilton & Dayton Ry. Genl. Mtg. 4½% Bds., 1939 (Temporary Ctfs.).
120 shs. Crocker-Wheeler Co.
40 shs. Blackrock Realty Co.
40 shs. Mechanics Bank of Brooklyn.
25 shs. National City Bank, N. Y.
10 shs. Trust Co. of America.
10 shs. National Bank of Commerce.
10 shs. Laawyers Mortgage Co.
$25,000 Promissory Note, dated Nov. 1st, 1906, made by George W. Worth to Ira L. McCord, due Nov. 1st, 1909, and Mortgage for like amount given to secure above note, made by George W. Worth to Ira L. McCord, covering certain premises at Lineville, Clay County, Alabama.
25 shs. Providence Brewing Co., Providence, R. I.
44 shs. N. Y. Produce Exchange Safe Dep. & Storage Co.
$2,000 City of N. Y. 3½% Corporate Stock, 1954.
100 shs. Metropolitan Street Rway.
10 shs. Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., pfd.
30 shs. Chic., Mil. & St. Paul R. R. common.
$2,000 Akron & Barberton Belt R. R. 1st 4s, 1942.
100 shs. Biograph Company.
5 shs. Brooklyn Union Elevated Pref. and 90-100 stock scrip.
7½ shs. National Surety Co.
10 shs. Importers & Traders Natl. Bank.
10 shs. Graves & Meade Co. of Dayton, Ohio.
11 shs. Corn Exchange Bank.

SPANISH-AMERICAN IRON COMPANY FIRST MORTGAGE 20-YEAR SINKING FUND 6% GOLD BONDS, DUE JULY 1, 1927.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the terms of the Mortgage dated July 1, 1907, $75,000 of said bonds, numbered as below, have been drawn for redemption by the Sinking Fund at par and accrued interest, as of January 1, 1910, when all interest thereon will cease, viz:

Seventy-five bonds for $1000 each:

114	1067	2001	3195	3969
185	1111	2025	3235	4071
254	1166	2139	3325	4176
301	1177	2177	3333	4317
433	1271	2353	3337	4348
575	1316	2380	3378	4380
583	1354	2399	3501	4418
636	1400	2485	3525	4477
677	1513	2571	3665	4503
778	1518	2652	3671	4539
816	1669	2722	3694	4591
845	1750	2903	3734	4679
925	1823	2976	3833	4716
926	1884	3072	3865	4744
967	1889	3169	3955	4835

The above bonds, with all unmatured coupons attached, should be presented for payment at the office of the Trustee on or after January 3, 1910.

GIRARD TRUST COMPANY, Trustee.
C. J. RHOADS, Treasurer.
Philadelphia, Pa., December 1, 1909.

COBALTS—NEVADAS—COPPERS.
EPPS MARKET LETTER
Curb Mining Stocks Free Weekly
EDWARD E. EPPS & CO., 11-13 William St., N. Y.

Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company

FIVE PER CENT. GOLD BONDS OF 1913.

Notice of Election to Redeem

To all Holders of above Bonds:

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY (an Iowa corporation), having elected to redeem the entire issue of its aforesaid FIVE PER CENT. GOLD BONDS OF 1913, at a premium of two and a half per cent. (2½%) and accrued interest, pursuant to the provisions of section 6 of Article Four of its trust agreement with CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Trustee, dated May 1, 1903, securing said bonds, HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that it will, on FEBRUARY 1, 1910, redeem the entire outstanding amount of said bonds at par, with a premium of two and a half per cent. (2½%) and the accrued interest on said bonds to the date of redemption above designated. The Railroad Company requires that, on and after said redemption date, said bonds, accompanied by all appurtenant unmatured coupons, be presented for redemption and payment at the office of CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, No. 54 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, N. Y., said office having been designated the agency of the said Railroad Company for the purpose of the aforesaid redemption and payment. Interest on all said bonds will cease from and after said February 1, 1910.

Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company.
By GEORGE T. BOGGS, Treasurer.

DETROIT SOUTHERN R. R. CO.

First Mortgage Bonds—Ohio Southern Division

Referring to its advertisement dated November 9, 1909, the Committee has been informed that an application is about to be made for the issuance of receivers' certificates having a lien upon the property covered by the mortgage securing said bonds and in priority thereto. It is therefore important that the holders of bonds should without delay deposit the same under the deposit agreement dated November 8, 1909. Said bonds may be deposited with CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, at its office, 54 Wall Street, New York City, until the close of business on DECEMBER 17, 1909, after which date no further deposits will be received except in the discretion of the Committee and subject to such penalty as it may prescribe.

Dated New York, December 7, 1909.

J. N. WALLACE,
WILLIAM A. READ,
F. H. ECKER,
Committee.

F. B. MOWLE, Secretary,
25 Nassau Street, New York City.
JOLINE, LARKIN & RATHBONE, Counsel.

No. 9,563.
Treasury Department.
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.
Washington, D. C., October 28, 1909.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that

The Audubon National Bank of New York, located in the City of New York, in the County of New York and State of New York, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, Lawrence O. Murray, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that

The Audubon National Bank of New York, located in the City of New York, in the County of New York and State of New York, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section Fifty-one Hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this 28th day of October, 1909.

LAWRENCE O. MURRAY,
[Seal.] Comptroller of the Currency.

NOTICE.

To the holders of the Five Per Cent. First and Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds outstanding under the Mortgage of the Edison Electric Company, dated September 1, 1902, to Los Angeles Trust Company, Trustee, and United States Mortgage and Trust Company, Co-Trustee:

Pursuant to the provisions concerning the Sinking Fund contained in the above-mentioned mortgage and in the bonds issued thereunder, United States Mortgage and Trust Company does hereby call for redemption bonds Nos. 207 to 311, both numbers inclusive, of the par value of $1,000 each, being the lowest numbered unredeemed bonds under said mortgage, and notice is hereby given to the holders of said bonds that the same will become due and payable at the office of the said United States Mortgage and Trust Company, No. 55 Cedar Street, New York City, on March 1, 1910, on and after which date the principal of said bonds, together with the interest accrued thereon to March 1, 1910, and a premium of ten per cent. upon said principal, will be paid to the holders of said bonds upon presentation and surrender thereof. After said March 1, 1910, interest shall cease to accrue upon said bonds.

UNITED STATES
MORTGAGE AND TRUST COMPANY,
By CALVERT BREWER,
Vice President.
New York, November 15, 1909.

MAKING GOOD

Eight years ago a young man went to Texas to engage in the lumber business.

He took with him ten years of practical experience, a time-strengthened purpose, and $6,000.

For the first quarter his books showed a loss of $200. Month after month went by and still the loss increased.

But he kept at it.

All comforts and pleasures were put aside. Week after week he went to the mill at six o'clock in the morning and never left it until past midnight.

Finally at the end of 14 months of constant losses a balance of $32 was shown as the first profit.

The tide had turned.

To-day the company of which this man is President owns two sawmills with an annual capacity of 30,000,000 feet of merchantable lumber; its own railroad, 175,000,000 feet of standing timber, and has resources of $1,250,000, which can be confirmed by reference to commercial agency reports.

With only $100,000 cash investment this company has paid its stockholders $85,000 cash dividends in the last five years, while its timber holdings have increased in value to the amount of $431,000, making a total of $516,000 in cash dividends and unearned increment, realized in less than eight years.

While modern facilities for the rapid and economical production of lumber and conservative management throughout have contributed materially to the success of the Palmetto Lumber Company, these exceptional profits have been largely due to shrewd investment in standing timber, which according to statistics compiled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, increased in value 182% from 1900 to 1907, AN AVERAGE OF 26% A YEAR.

The Palmetto Lumber Company now finds itself face to face with an opportunity for profitable investment in standing timber greater than the present stockholders are able to take advantage of, and the Company has issued $100,000 of 7% preferred, participating stock to meet this opportunity.

The original stockholders have subscribed to $50,000 of this issue; the balance we are authorized to offer in multiples of $500 at par, under a plan which gives the purchasers of this new issue the SAME SECURITY OF PRINCIPAL as the original stockholders, and also enables them to share in the profits realized from this investment, OVER AND ABOVE THE 7% DIVIDEND ON THEIR PREFERRED STOCK.

If you would like to have proof that YOUR money can safely be invested in standing timber to earn considerably more than 7%, call or write Seymour Dudley & Co., 81 Fulton Street, New York City, for a copy of the illustrated prospectus, which gives the complete record of this company's history from the day of its organization.

SACRAMENTO ELECTRIC GAS AND RAILWAY COMPANY.

In accordance with the provisions of the Deed of Trust of the Sacramento Electric Gas and Railway Company to California Safe Deposit and Trust Company dated November 1st, 1897, the following bonds have been drawn for account of the sinking fund, viz.:

Nos. 89, 93, 145, 277, 483, 988, 1264, 1383, 1447, and 2166,

and will be redeemed by Mercantile Trust Company of San Francisco, Trustee, at its office, 464 California Street, San Francisco, California, at 103 and accrued interest on the 15th day of December, 1909, at which date interest will cease on the above numbered bonds.

San Francisco, California, November 1st, 1909.

MERCANTILE TRUST COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO, successor as trustee to California Safe Deposit and Trust Company,
By R. M. SIMS, Trust Officer.
SACRAMENTO ELECTRIC GAS AND RAILWAY COMPANY,
By D. H. FOOTE, Secretary.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

The Mechanics' National Bank

of the City of New York,
33 WALL STREET.

Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders.

New York, November 22, 1909.

A special meeting of the stockholders of The Mechanics' National Bank of the City of New York, is hereby called to be held at its banking office, No. 33 Wall Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 23d day of December, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

1. To vote upon resolutions authorizing and approving of the purchase by this Bank of the assets and business of the National Copper Bank, as the same shall appear upon the books of the said Bank at the time of the merger, which shall be at least equal to the assets and business of the said The Mechanics' National Bank of the City of New York, at the time of such merger.

2. To authorize the increase of the capital stock of The Mechanics' National Bank of the City of New York from three million dollars ($3,000,000) to six million dollars ($6,000,000,) by the issue of thirty thousand (30,000) additional shares, each of the par value of one hundred dollars ($100), which said increased capital stock shall be used for the purpose of acquiring the said assets and business of the National Copper Bank, to the end that the said National Copper Bank may be consolidated and merged with this Bank; and to confirm the action of the Board of Directors in declaring a dividend of 21 per cent., contingent upon the consolidation of this Bank with the National Copper Bank becoming effective.

3. To provide that the Articles of Association of this Bank be amended so that the name of the Bank shall be changed to The Mechanics' and Metals National Bank of the City of New York, so that the Board of Directors shall consist of not less than twenty-five nor more than forty Directors, as from time to time the by-laws may prescribe, so as to provide for additional officers, so as to provide that a number of Directors less than a majority as determined by the by-laws of the Bank shall constitute a quorum, and in the event that the Articles of Association shall be so amended and the Board of Directors increased, then to elect a Board of Directors in accordance with such amendments.

4. In the event that the capital stock shall finally be increased to $6,000,000 by the addition of 30,000 shares, each of the par value of $100, then to waive the right to subscribe for such shares and to authorize the use of such additional shares in acquiring the assets and business of the said National Copper Bank.

And generally to vote upon any and all propositions in connection with the proposed merger and consolidation and the increase in the capitalization, the amendment in the Articles of Association and the issue of the proposed capital stock and the waiver and use thereof, as shall be necessary in order to carry into effect the proposed merger and consolidation and the acquisition by this Bank of the assets and business of the National Copper Bank.

The transfer books of this Bank shall be closed from 12 M., December 11, 1909, to 10 A. M., December 24, 1909.

This meeting is duly authorized and called and this notice is duly given by order of the Board of Directors.

FRANK O. ROE, Cashier.

THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY.
195 Broadway,
New York, November 30, 1909.

To the Stockholders of THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY:

Referring to the notice sent to you November 17, 1909, calling a special meeting of the stockholders of this Company, to be held on the 18th day of January, 1910, you are notified that the stock transfer books of this Company will be closed at three o'clock P. M. December 8, 1909, instead of January 7, 1910, and remain closed until ten o'clock A. M. January 19, 1910. This change in date is made to avoid any possibility of confusion in dealings in the stock and rights to subscribe to bonds, prior to the date of said special meeting.

If unable to attend the meeting, please sign and return the proxy which we have already sent you. A. H. CALEF, Secretary.

New York Home for Destitute Crippled Children.

To the Members of the Above Corporation:

Notice is hereby given that in view of the failure to elect Directors at the time fixed for the annual meeting of this corporation, a special meeting is hereby called, to be held on the fourteenth day of December, 1909, at eight o'clock P. M., at the office of the corporation, No. 141 West 61st Street, Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, for the purpose of electing Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

IDA CRISP, Secretary.
Dated, November 29th, 1909.

YUKON GOLD COMPANY,
165 Broadway, New York, November 30th, 1909.
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the YUKON GOLD COMPANY, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of Williamson & Burleigh, No. 242 Water Street, Augusta, Maine, on the 10th day of January, 1910, at two o'clock P. M.

The books for the transfer of the stock of the Company will close at three o'clock P. M., December 10th, 1909, and reopen January 3d, 1910.

CHAS. K. LIPMAN, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE adjourned annual meeting of the stockholders of the Liberty Compound Company has been and hereby is duly called, to be held at the office of the Liberty Compound Company, Room 511, No. 90 West Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 20th day of December, 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such and other business as may properly come before the meeting. E. B. FRIELE, Secretary.

Office of The American Coal Company of Allegany County.
No. 1 Broadway,
New York, November 26th, 1909.

The annual election for Directors of The American Coal Company of Allegany County (New Jersey) will be held at the company's office, No. 83 Montgomery St., Jersey City, N. J., on Thursday, the 23d of December, 1909, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock P. M. The transfer books will be closed on Monday, December 13th, at 3 o'clock P. M., and reopened on the morning of December 24th, 1909.

GEO. M. BOWLBY, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of GEO. A. KESSLER & CO. will be held at the office of the company, at 20 Beaver Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, December 14th, 1909, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

HENRY W. RIECKEN, Secretary.
New York, November 30, 1909.

CHARTERED 1799.
Bank of the Manhattan Company.
New York, Nov 8, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that an election for twelve Directors of the Manhattan Company will be held at their banking house, No. 40 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the seventh day of December next, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

By order of the Directors,
D. H. PIERSON, Cashier.

New York, December 3, 1909.

The annual election of Directors of the MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York will be held at its banking house, No. 42 Wall Street, New York, on Tuesday, January 11th 1910, from 12 noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board of Directors.
JOSEPH BYRNE, Cashier.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of stockholders of A. G. Hyde & Sons will be held at the office of the Company, 861 Broadway on the 7th day of December, 1909, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing five (5) Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be necessary. E. S. LUCAS, Secretary.

Orphan Copper Company.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Orphan Copper Company is hereby called, to be held at the office of J. A. Parker & Co., Bankers, 37 Wall St., New York City, Wednesday, Dec. 8th, 1909, at 3:30 P. M., for the mutual protection of their interests in the aforesaid Company.

The Germania Life Insurance Co.

The annual election of Directors of The Germania Life Insurance Company will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 20 Nassau St., in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 8th day of December, 1909, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Carl Heye, Secretary.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing by and between the undersigned at No. 467 Brodway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The undersigned Samuel Newmann alone is entitled to collect all the outstandings of the late firm, and he will pay all the just debts thereof.

Dated New York, December 6th, 1909.

SAMUEL NEWMANN.
LEO WEIL.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

New York, Dec. 6th, 1909.

To whom it may concern:

Please taken notice that Mr. HENRY SCHOENFELD has this day withdrawn from the firm of SCHOENFELD, BARON & DANS of No. 213 Greene St., New York City. All his right, title, and interest therein have been purchased for cash by Mr. ABRAM DANS. Messrs. BARON and DANS have assumed the payment of all the said firm's obligations. Mr. HENRY SCHOENFELD will continue the business of manufacturing ladies' and misses' cloaks and suits at his new place of business at No. 35 West 19th St., in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Holiday-time movements in the stock markets are sometimes of great importance. Consult THE NEW YORK TIMES WEEKLY FINANCIAL REVIEW for full information on all points of interest to investors in bonds, stocks, grain, and cotton. Mailed to any address in the United States for $1 a year.—Adv.

IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

Astor Estate Sells Plot on West 17th Street—Washington Heights Lots Figure in Big Deal—$1,500,000 Paid for Newtown Creek Waterfront.

It was reported yesterday that the William Astor estate had sold 50, 52, and 54 West Seventeenth Street, together with the abutting parcel at 43 West Sixteenth Street.

The Seventeenth Street property consists of a plot, 66 by 92, on which there are three old-fashioned four-story dwellings now occupied by the Maison Rouge. The Sixteenth Street parcel, which is 25 by 92, is occupied by a similar dwelling.

Who the buyers were could not be learned yesterday, but it is believed that it will be improved at once, as this section has been the centre of much activity in the loft building line.

There have been several rumors of the sale of this plot, which is regarded as one of the best of those available for improvement in this section, being only 179 feet from Sixth Avenue and very favorably situated for an inside plot so far as light and air are concerned.

All the property adjoining to the west, including the Sixth Avenue corner, is owned by the Astors, and the greater part of it is under lease for a long time to F. W. Woolworth & Co. Just to the east, at 40 and 42 West Seventeenth Street, the Meteor Realty Company has recently completed a twelve-story store and loft building on a frontage of 50 feet, and there are several other similar structures in course of construction in the immediate vicinity.

Heights Lots in Big Deal.

The Consolidated Board of Brokers sold for the Miami Realty Company, to the Minoma Realty Company, the two new six-story elevator apartment houses occupying the block front on the east side of Audubon Avenue, 172d to 173d Street, on plot 195 by 95.

The Consolidated Board of Brokers also sold for the Minoma Realty Company their holdings on the north side of 181st Street, from Northern Avenue to Riverside Drive, a plot comprising about thirty lots. This property has been under the same ownership for about twenty years. It commands an unobstructed view of the Hudson River. Albert Buchman of Buchman & Fox, archiects, had his residence here some time ago. The plot is the largest individual holding sold recently in the Fort Washington section.

The land is probably taken by the Miami Company in trade for the Audubon Avenue apartment houses, which have been placed in charge of the above brokers.

West 25th Street Plot Resold.

The Henry M. Weill Company has resold for a client to Edward Baer 158 to 162 West Twenty-fifth Street, three four-story dwellings, on plot 55 by 98.9, together with the abutting property, 157 West Twenty-fourth Street, a four-story dwelling, on lot 20 by 98.9. The property, which is about 120 feet east of Seventh Avenue, was purchased by the sellers abouth a month ago from Adolph Altman through the same brokers.

Walker Street Loft Building Sold.

The Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown Company has sold for the United States Trust Company, as trustee, 51 Walker Street, between Broadway and Church Street, a five-story loft building, on lot 25.3 by 106.10 by 22.6 by 98. The buyer is a client of Daniel Birdsall & Co.

Hotel Property Traded for Flats.

E. Sharum has sold to the Armor Realty Company 449 and 453 West 163d Street, two six-story apartment houses, each on plot 37.6 by 112.6. Daniel J. Mendelson took title to the property a couple of weeks ago. The Hotel Kenmore, a three-story hotel, fully furnished, at Broadway and Van Dam Street, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., was given in part payment.

The Thomas L. Reynolds Company has sold for Christian J. Moeller the southeast corner of Lenox Avenue and 143d Street, a lot 24.11 by 85, to the Corn Exchange Realty Company. It is said that a moving picture building will be erected on the site.

Charles Wynne has sold to Jennie Brisk 514 West 133d Street, a five-story apartment house, and taken in part payment the private dwelling 28 East 130th Street, on lot 18.2 by 100.

Elizabeth Becker sold to Israel Lebowitz the northeast corner of Amsterdam Avenue and 163d Street, a five-story apartment house, plot 34 by 100.

Buyers for East Side Tenements.

Morris Jacoby has bought from the Berliant Realty Company 250 East Fourth Street, a six-story tenement with stores, on lot 25 by 96, adjoining the southeast corner of Avenue B.

Randell & Match have sold for Wilhelmina Hatten 12 Stanton Street, a five-story flat on lot 25 by 100, to Isidore Goldenburg; also, for I. Berger, the seven-story tenement with stores on lot 25 by 102.2 to a client for investment.

Robert C. Henderson has sold for Herbert R. Limburg 31 and 33 East Twenty-eighth Street, a plot 45.10 by 98.9, on which stands an old-fashioned single apartment house and a private dwelling. The buyer is an operator. This is considered one of the choicest plots in the Fourth Avenue section, and was held at $135,000.

Water Front Bought for $1,500,000.

The National Sugar Refining Company has bought from the New York Land and Warehouse Company a large water front property on Newtown Creek, valued at about $1,500,000. The plot includes three parcels—one of six and a half acres under water at the mouth of Newtown Creek. One of the upland parcels has a frontage of 220 feet on the south side of Pier Street, 261 feet on the west side of River Street, and 276 feet along the bulkhead line of Newtown Creek. The other has a frontage of 320 feet on the west side of Front Street, 450 feet on the east side of River Street, 200 feet on the south side of Dock Street, and the same along the bulkhead of the East River. The outside tract under water extends 600 feet out into the East River, and has a frontage of 1,024 feet on the Newtown Creek pier and bulkhead line and 873 feet on the East River pier line. The property was sold subject to a lease to the Atlantic Coast Lumber Company, which expires in 1914, but the lease can be terminated upon a year's notice. It is said to be the plan of the National Sugar Refining Company to build on this plot an immense refinery, and it may lead to the concentration of a vast sugar refining industry along the Newtown Creek front.

Bronx Sales.

Fitzgerald & Broderick have sold for W. F. Hurley two lots on the western side of the Grand Concourse and Boulevard, 265 feet south of 189th Street; also, two lots for John J. Donovan on the west side of Ryer Avenue, 115 feet south of 182d Street.

Samuel K. Jacobs of Walter Emmerich & Co., ribbon manufacturers, has bought from the Behren estate for the Tremont Mills 4,061 Park Avenue, 26 by 140. This property adjoins the present Tremont Silk Mills property, and gives this factory a total frontage of 126 feet on Park Avenue and 241 feet on Ittner Place. This is the first time this plot has changed ownership since it was bought by the Behren family when this territory was farming country.

The Woodstock Exchange has sold the two-family frame house 633 East 234th Street for Max Germansky to Anna Lavelle; also, the four-story brick house 887 Cauldwell Avenue for George J. Ross to Joseph Geoghegan.

J. Clarence Davies has sold for Herman Hartman a plot 275 by 200, comprising eleven lots, on the west side of Appleton Avenue, formerly Pelham Road, 820 feet south of Libby Street, and running through to Westchester Creek.

Kurz & Uren have sold for John Yule to a client 978 Morris Avenue, east side, 200 feet north of 164th Street, a five-story apartment, on plot 37.6 by 100.

Brooklyn Sales.

Mandelbaum and Lewine are the buyers of the former Phenix Insurance Company building 12 to 24 Court Street, Brooklyn, sold recently.

Suburban Sales.

W. W. Price has purchased through Cornelius G. Kolff a parcel of about twenty acres on the north side of Emerson Hill, Staten Island, fronting on the Clove, so that his estate on Emerson Hill has now been increased to holdings of approximately twenty-six acres. Mr. Kolff has also sold to Charles T. Brown a plot of ground on Emerson Hill embracing approximately five acres, extending from the Douglas Road next to the estate of W. W. Price to the Richmond Road.

E. C. Tooker of Larchmont, N. Y., purchased 350 feet of frontage on the cliff of the Montclair Mountain. The consideration is said to have been $30,000. H. S. Connolly & Co. negotiated the sale.

The Banister Realty Company has sold to Edward Roche 25 lots in Sea Girt Avenue and Fulton Avenue, Ostend, Far Rockaway.

Another Stable Fenced Off.

Richard Rohl, as architect for Dr. Isidor Bippert, has filed plans for a wall of sheet iron with fireproof braces to be built along the east building line of the lot of 351 East Fourth Street, a three-story house, owned by the physician. The fence is to close up a window in the west wall of the stable adjoining, which has proved a source of annoyance to the neighborhood.

Leases.

Denzer Brothers have leased for a long term of years for the Royal Phelps estate, in conjunction with H. S. Ely & Co., the store and basement at 25 Union Square, containing about 10,000 square feet, to the J. & D. Lehman Company, who are in the wholesale glove business and have for a great many years been located at 447 Broadway. Denzer Brothers have also leased for the Acme Building Company the store and basement at 125 and 131 West Twenty-second Street, containing 10,000 square feet; also, for the receivers of the J. B. & J. M. Cornell Company, the north store and entire basement at 179 to 183 Wooster Street, containing 11,000 square feet; also, for John Gilmour, the store and basement at 171 Mercer Street to William L. Jones, and for Adolf H. Landeker the store and basement at 51 Walker Street.

Senior & Stout have leased for the Société Culinaire Philanthropique the four upper floors at 113 West Forty-eighth Street to William Cully.

Albert B. Ashforth & Co., in conjunction with F. R. Bell & Co., have leased to Charles B. Rogers & Co. the store and basement of a twelve-story building now being erected at 14 and 16 East Thirty-third Street for a term of years. This company has been located on Fifth Avenue below Twenty-third Street for a good many years.

Lew L. Rosenthal, in conjunction with C. A. Rosenthal & Sons, has leased to M. Robinson for S. Leibowich the premises 484 Sixth Avenue.

M. & L. Hess have leased for A. M. & J. A. Hadden to A. Ware & Co. the entire building 41 East Twentieth Street for a term of years; also, for Annie Brown, the store and basement at 225 Greene Street, and for Samuel Hirschbein to the American Textile Company the third loft in 142 Fifth Avenue, northwest corner of Nineteenth Street.

"The Auctioneer and Broker."

Joseph P. Day, President of the Real Estate Board of Brokers, will speak before the classes of the Bedford branch of the Young Men's Christian Association, 1,121 Bedford Avenue, on Thursday evening, Dec. 9. Mr. Day's subject will be "The Auctioneer and Broker."

Newport Cliff Property Sold.

De Blois & Eldridge have sold for the estate of the late Mrs. George W. Collard the property consisting of several acres of land with a stone house, stable, and greenhouses, extending from Ruggles Avenue to the Cliffs to T. Suffern Tailer, the head of the banking house of Tailer & Co. of this city. This is one of the finest properties in Newport and came into the market recently on account of the settlement of the estate.

Harlem Property Owners to Meet.

The Harlem Property Owners' Association, of which Dr. Abraham Korn is President, will hold a regular meeting Thursday, Dec. 9, at 147 East 125th Street. Several important matters portaining to rapid transit are scheduled for discussion.

Results at Aucton.

Yesterday's offerings in the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Bryan L. Kennelly.

St. Nicholas Av, 775, s w corner of 149th St, 20.5x101.2x20x96.10, five-story dwelling; foreclosure sale, adjourned to Dec. 13.

By Joseph P. Day.

51st St, 222 and 224, s s, 260 ft e of 3d Av, 35.4x88x—x106.4, seven-story flat and stores; foreclosure sale, to Margaret Jaeger, $40,934.

152d St, 767, n s, 25 ft w of Wales Av, 25x86.11x28.11x101.5, four-story tenement; foreclosure sale, to the plaintiff, W. H. McCarthy, $16,536.

Perry St, 113 and 115, n s, 85.1 ft e of Greenwich St, 45x70x irregular, six-story tenement; foreclosure sale, to the plaintiff, J. H. Vought, $35,500.

By Samuel Goldsticker.

5th Av, 2,252, n w corner of 137th St, 49.11x62.6, six-story flat and stores; foreclosure sale, to Samuel Rosenberg, $33,000.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

List of Plans Filed for New Structures in Manhattan and Bronx.

Greenwich St, 605, for a one-story shed, 25x100; Trinity Church Corporation, 187 Fulton St, owner; J. H. O'Brien, architect; cost, $600.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MONDAY, DEC. 6.

AUDUBON AV, s w corner of 171st St, 95x125; Atlantic Realty Co. to John E. Dardan, (mtg $40,000,) $100.

BANK ST, 117, n s, 95x irregular; Simon Epstein to Sarah Rosenthal, (mtg $18,000,) $100.

BELMONT AV, s w corner of 188th St, 157.6x87.6; Morris Garfinkel to Samuel Ellis, (mtg $6,500,) $100.

BELMONT AV, w s, 88.10 ft s of 182d St, 38.3x83.1; John O'Leary and others to the Belmont Realty and Construction Co., $100.

BELMONT AV, e s, 127.9 ft n of 181st St, 58.10x164.1; Ortensia Pianisani to Palmira Brandolini, $100.

BELMONT AV, w s, 88.10 ft s of 182d St, 38.3x83.1; Belmont Realty and Construction Co. to Charles O. Krabo, (mtg $1,750,) $1.

BROOK AV, 1,407, w s, 37.6x90; Albion Realty Co. to Carrie Lazar, (mtg $31,000,) $100.

COLUMBUS AV, 227, e s, 25x100; Minnie C. Whitman to Cabot Real Estate Co., (mtg $32,000,) $1.

DEY ST, 52, n s, 25x78; William E. Brayton to L. Bell Caldwell of Mount Vernon, $1.

IRVING PLACE, w s, 23 ft n of 18th St, 23x85.6; Sarah J. O'Neil to Charles Hirschhorn, (mtg $20,000,) $100.

IRVING PLACE, 69, w s, 23x85.6; Grace R. Johnson to Charles Hirschhorn, (mtg $16,000,) $100.

JEFFERSON AV, s e s, Lot 119, map Ryer Homestead, 25x95; Belmont Av, w s, lot 429.11 ft n of 181st St, 13.10x—; Louis F. Doyle to Belmont Realty and Construction Co., $100.

LOT 229, map of Harrington estate; Georgianna McDonough to Theresa Rachell, (mtg $350,) $1.

LOTS 207 to 225, map of Samler estate; Stuard Realty Co. to Stroefer Realty Co., $100.

MARMION AV, s w corner of Elsmere Place, 200x25; Charles Welch to George W. Godward, (mtg $4,500,) $1.

MINFORD PLACE, w s, 250 ft n of 172d St, 175x100; Irving W. Riegelman to Unico Realty Co., (mtg $20,100,) $100.

MONAGHAN AV, w s, 350 ft s of Jefferson Av, 25x100; Land Co. A. of Edenwald to Charles Alperin, $1.

PARK AV, 1,132, w s, 25.2x82.2; James R. Pierson to William Dietz, $100.

ROGERS PLACE, e s, 350.1 ft n of Westchester Av, 50x90; Joseph Stromwasser and others to Eduard Stelter, (mtg $3,000,) $100.

SETON AV, e s, 225 ft s of Nelson Av, 50x100; Land Co. C. of Edenwald to Thomas Colgan, $1.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, w s, 32.9 ft s of 136th St, 43.10x96.7; William W. Scrugham to Edwin H. Updike, $1.

STANTON ST, 58, n w corner of Eldridge St, 18.2x60; Morris Garfinkel to Samuel Ellis, (mtg $26,000,) $100.

SULLIVAN ST, 134, w s, 22x75; Peter J. Rubino and others to Rosa Rubino and another, (mtgs $10,000,) $1.

VALENTINE AV, s e s, 305.9 ft n e of 198th St, 75x98.3; Charles Platt to Henry J. Finck, $6,200.

WOODRUFF AV, s e corner of Broad St, 100x100; Kingston Security Co. to Northern Bank of New York, $1.

WOODRUFF AV, s e corner of Broad St, 100x100; Northern Bank of New York to Margaret Robinson, $100.

2D ST, 79 and 81 East, 50x80.1; 139th St, s s, 1,084 ft w of 8th Av, 16.8x99; 139th St, 307 West, 16.8x99.11; 41st St, s s, 148.3 ft e of Lexington Av, 40x irregular; 70th St, 119 West, 20x100.5; 41st St, 131 West, 19.8x98.9; Philip J. Hanigan and others to Philip Weeks estate, $1.

3D ST, s s, 115 ft e of Avenue D, 37x105.10; Isaac Sloboder to Sam Berkowitz, (mtg $61,400,) $100.

4TH ST, 61, n s, 25x96.2; Raphael Lahmstein to Isaac Yagoda and another, $100.

7TH AV, n e corner of 132d St, 24.11x75; City Real Estate Co. to John J. McGrath, (mtgs $21,000,) $100.

10TH ST, 295 East, 23.10x109.4; Sophie Martinson to Max Neuman, (mtg $22,000,) $1.

26TH ST, 118 West, 21.5x98.9; Albert I. Sire to Aaron Coleman, (mtg $30,000,) $1.

52D ST, s s, 150 ft e of 9th Av, 32.5x—; John J. Hines to Samuel G. Hess, (mtg $38,000,) $100.

55TH ST, 540 West, 25x100.5; De Leon Realty Co. to Leopold Mayer, (mtg $13,000,) $100.

62D ST, 229 and 231 West, 50x100.5; Harry Saltzman to Dora Glautzman, $100.

73D ST, n s, 283 ft e of Park Av, 24x102.2; Mabel C. McCue to Adams Realty Co., (mtg $21,000,) $100.

73D ST, n s, 205 ft e of Park Av, 26.10x102.2; Mary d'A. Lilienthal to Newbold Morris, (mtg $65,000,) $1.

78TH ST, 151 East, 16x82.2; Realty Purchasing and Mortgage Corporation to Mary H. Solley, (mtg $14,000,) $100.

96TH ST, 134 West, 25x100.8; George L. Amoroux to Lillian L. Amoroux, (mtg $21,000,) $1.

104TH ST, 244 East, 25x100.11; Isaac Rosenwasser and others to Herman Weissberger and others, (mtg $21,950,) $100.

108TH ST, n s, 125 ft e of Broadway, 75x100.11; Charles E. McManus to Adolph Breslauer, (mtg $50,000,) $62,000.

113TH ST, 536 West, 75x100.11; Keystone Investing Co. to Melvin E. Boas, (mtg $200,000,) $100.

113TH ST, 529 West, 20x100.11; Neal R. White to Mary E. White, $1.

122D ST, s s, 153 ft w of Lenox Av, 18x100.11; Lucy S. Scott to John F. Scott, $1.

134TH ST, n s, 81.8 ft w of Willis Av, 24.9x100; Morris Gintzler to Herman M. Schaap, (mtg $17,500,) $100.

134TH ST, n s, 81.8 ft w of Willis Av, 24.9x100; Lewis S. Lewkowitz and others to Bertha Schwartz, (mtg $17,500,) $100.

143D ST, 301 East; Belle L. Hammond to Francis Rogers, $100.

157TH ST, 468 West, 25x99.11; Edward Glokner to Caroline M. W. Glokner, $100.

159TH ST, 534 and 536 West, 50x99.11; Edward Glokner to Caroline M. W. Glokner, $100.

187TH ST, s e corner of Hughes Av, 50x100; Bertha Eckstein to Joseph Tesaro, $100.

Recorded Mortgages.

Interest is at 5% unless otherwise specified.

BROOKS, May E., to Susie K. Anderson; Amsterdam Av, e s, 124.10 ft n of 146th St, 24.11x100, 3 years.......$36,000

CORN EXCHANGE REALTY CO to Christian Moller; Lenox Av, s e corner of 143d St, 24.11x85, 3 years, 5½ per cent......$4,000

D. H. SPRING REALTY CO to Charles T. Jaeger; 178th St, s s, 80 ft w of Daly Av, 80.7x81.4, due Dec. 27, 1909, 6 per cent.$1,000

DIETZ, William, to Sol L. Kaye; Park Av, 1,132, due April 4, 1910, 6 per cent..$6,000

ECKSTEIN, Samuel, to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Arthur Av, 2,325, due, &c, as per bond.......$15,000

FINGER, Annie, to Robert Kommel; Avenue C, e s, 48.9 ft n of 7th St, 18.3x82.5, installments, 6%.......$1,500

HALL, Boulton, to Anna S. Wilson; 63d St, 109 West, due, &c, as per bond......$17,000

HARRIS, Herman and another, to Louis Horowitz; 7th Av, 2,365, prior mtg $26,000, due July 31, 1913, 6 per cent......$4,000

JOSEPH ROSENTHAL REALTY CO. to Albany Savings Bank; 134th St, 502 and 504 West, 5 years, 4½%......$45,000

KAISER, John F., to Elizabeth Schanze; Lot 5, parcel 26, map of subdivision of the estate of William B. Ogden, 3 years, 5½%......$1,500

KAISER, John F., to Elizabeth Schanze; Lot 22, parcel 26, map of subdivision of the estate of William B. Ogden, due Jan. 30, 1912, 5½%......$2,000

KELLER, Ernst, to Louis Gates; Martha Av, e s, 125 ft n of 240th St, two lots, each 25x100; two mtgs, each $1,000; two prior mtgs $4,750 each, 1 year, 6 per cent..$2,000

KRABO, Charles O., to American Mortgage Co; Belmont Av, w s, 88.10 ft s of 182d St, 38.3x83.1, 1 year, 5½ per cent......$17,000

KRABO, Charles O., to Natalie Schwicardi; Belmont Av, w s, 88.10 ft s of 182d St, 38.3x83.1, prior mtg $17,039, due, &c, as per bond......$1,200

KUPELER REALTY AND PERSONALTY COMMERCIAL CO. to Max Borck; Market St, 11, due May 15, 1912, 6%......$1,150

LAWRENCE, Beatrice E., to Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States; 48th St, 230 West due Jan. 1, 1915, 4½%...$16,000

MARESCA, John, to Louis Gates; Hughes Av, w s, 100 ft s of 187th St, 25x87.6, prior mtg $10,000, due July 1, 1912, 6 per cent..$3,500

McDERMOTT, Adah M., to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; 177th St, s s, 100.6 ft w of Southern Boulevard, 50x100, due, &c, as per bond......$5,000

MURRAY, John D., to G. De W. Clocke; Lots 99 and 100, map of 250 lots of Thompson-Rose Estate, 3 years, 6 per cent......$1,000

NEWMAN, Loeb, to James R. Plum, executor; 113th St, 155 East, 3 years......$21,000

NORTH BRONX REALTY CO. to Sadie B. Clocke; Wilson Place, n s, being a 100 ft of lot 11, block A, map of Lester Park, due, &c., as per bond......$2,000

O'GORMAN, Jeanne W., to Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank; Simpson St, w s, 171.8 ft n of 169th St, 25x —, prior mtg $3,000, 3 years......$1,000

OLCOTT, Alice M., to County Holding Co.; 53d St, s s, 130 ft e of Madison Av, 18x100.5, 3 years, 5½%......$60,000

ORTH, Amelia and another to Margaret G. Meeks; West Broadway, 225, 3 years, 5½%......$6,000

REESE, Max, to Dollar Savings Bank; Lots 306, 307, 310, 326, 327, and 328, map of Woodlawn Heights, 3 years......$3,000

ROBINSON, Margaret, to Northern Bank of New York; Woodruff Av, s e corner of Broad St, 100x100, 3 years......$18,500

RODEHAN REALTY CO. to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co.; Trinity Av, e s, 420 ft s of 165th St, 49.5x100, 5 years......$36,000

ROSENTHAL, Sarah, to American Mortgage Co.; Bank St, 117, 5 years......$17,000

ROSENTHAL, SARAH, to American Mortgage Co.; Bank St, 117, prior mtg $17,000, 1 year, 6%......$1,000

SCHIFF, Jennie, to Lea Luquer and others, trustees; Jane St, n s, 123.6 ft e of Hudson St, 27.6x —, 3 years, 4½%......$14,500

SCHNEIBLE, Carl A., to J. F. Kernochan and another, trustees; 121st St, s s, 345 ft e of Park Av, 20x100.11, 5 years, 4½%......$9,000

SEELIG, Anna, to Theodore Roehrs; 179th St, n s, 150.4 ft w of Crotona Av, 20.3x—, due, &c., as per bond......$1,800

STELZ, Gertrude C., to Susannah S. Folz; Bay Av, s s, Lots 13 and 14, map of F. Scofield Estate, City Island, 3 years, 6 per cent......$2,500

STROEFER REALTY CO to Shiard Realty Co; Lots 207-225, map of Samler Estate, 3 years, 5½ per cent......$4,000

WEST BRONX REALTY Co. to Elizabeth Schanze; Lot 21, parcel 26, map of subdivision of the estate of William B. Ogden, 3 years, 5½%......$2,000

WHITE, Mary E., to Union Dime Savings Bank; 113th St, 529 West, due, &c, as per bond......$20,000

WHITMAN, Minnie C., to Irene B. Braman; Columbus Av, 227, 3 years, 4½%...$32,000

Mechanics' Liens.

170TH ST, s s, 80 ft w of Daly Av, 80.6x81; Daniel Mapes, Jr., against D. H. Spring Realty Co., owner; Samuel Weingarten, contractor, $350.

BROOK AV, n e corner of 180th St, 45.7x100; Village Brothers against W. F. Lennon Construction Co. and Brook Avenue Construction Co., owners and contractors; William F. Lennon Construction Co., owner; W. F. Lennon, contractor, $1,300.

12TH ST, 20 East; Joseph di Corcia against Julia Fitzgerald, owner and contractor, $16,520.

126TH ST, n s, 190 ft e of 4th Av, 50x99.11; Anton Larsen against Max Epstein and Harris Cohen, owners, (renewal,) $30.

SPRING ST, 150; William A. Thomas Co. against Max Abramson, owner; Harris Mankin, contractor, $128.

110TH ST, 209 and 211 East; Tomback & McPhee, Inc., against Kry Lyn Realty Co., owner and contractor, $20.

LORING PLACE, e s, 307.10 ft w of 183d St, 44x110; George Hagemeyer against G. H. Masten Realty Co., owner and contractor, $150.

150TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of 7th Av, 75x100; Frank Falvella against Bisch-Hoef Realty and Construction Co., owner and contractor; Simon Uhlfelder and Abraham Weinberg, contractors, $1,668.

Satisfied Mechanics' Liens.

INTERVALE AV, w s, 75 ft s of Home St; August H. Lueders against Volga Improvement Co. and others, Nov. 8, 1909, $575.

INTERVALE AV, w s, 75 ft s of Home St; P. J. Heaney Co. against Volga Improvement Co. and others, Nov. 9, 1909, $159.

MADISON ST, n s, 105.8 ft w of Rutgers St, 26x100.1; A. Gordon & Brother against Harry Kay and others, Sept. 4, 1908, $696.

MADISON ST, 207; Marx & Jacobson against Harry Kay and others, Sept. 9, 1908, $825.

BROADWAY, s e corner of 101st St; Person & Co. against Bloomingdale Leasing Co. and others, Aug. 23, 1907, $239.

101ST ST, 206 to 210 West; Joseph Tino and others against Bloomingdale Leasing Co. and others, Oct. 16, 1907, $115.

BROADWAY, s e corner of 101st St; Church E. Gates & Co. against Franklin Building Co. and others, Dec. 27, 1907, $1,368.

101ST ST, 206 to 210 West; Constantino Landadio against Franklin Building Co. and others, Jan. 28, 1908, $4,002.

101ST ST, 206 to 210 West; Joseph Tino & Co. against Bloomingdale Leasing Co., April 4, 1908, $271.

BROADWAY, 2,654; Mutual Engineering Co. against Bloomingdale Leasing Co., April 20, 1908, $1,100.

100TH ST, 205 to 209 West; Edward Smolka & Co. against Franklin Building Co. and others, May 26, 1908, $542.

100TH ST, 205 to 209 West; Edward Smolka & Co. against Franklin Building Co. and others, May 26, 1908, $52.

101ST ST, 202 to 210 West; Candee, Smith & Howland Co. against Bloomingdale Leasing Co. and others, Oct. 15, 1907, $414.

2D AV, 608; Harris Bernstein against Frank Beck and others, Nov. 20, 1909, $62.

43D ST, 311 to 319 West; Edward Smolka & Co. against Charles Scribner and others, Aug. 21, 1907, $261.

RYER AV, e s, 125 ft n of 180th St; Eagle Plumbing Supply Co. and others against R. F. Levin and others, Nov. 19, 1909, (by bond,) $625.

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112TH ST, 19 East; Sophia M. Krulewitch against Bessie M. Phipps and others, (action to impress lien;) attorney, A. S. Goldman.

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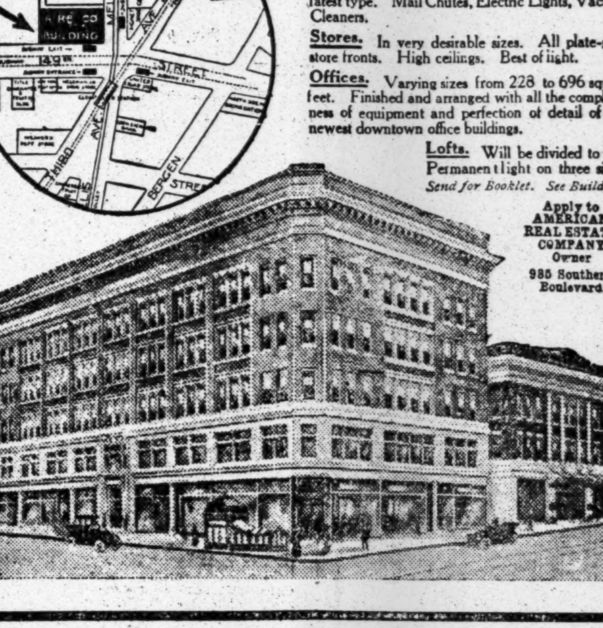

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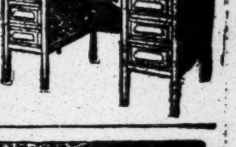

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Adriatic..Dec. 8, 3 PM | Oceanic, Dec. 22, 2 PM
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Cedric, (21,035 Tons)..........Jan. 5, Feb. 16
Romanic..........Jan. 15 | Cretic..........Jan. 29
Celtic, (20,904 Tons)........Feb. 2, March 16
Canopic..........Feb. 12 | Romanic.......Feb. 26
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Rhein.........Dec. 9 | P. Irene.........Dec. 30
Neckar........Dec. 18 | Chemnitz........Jan. 6
GIBRALTAR—NAPLES—GENOA—ALGIERS
Mediterranean Sailings Saturdays at 11 A. M.
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Barbarossa.....Jan. 8 | K. Albert.......Feb. 12
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¶Verona........Dec. 11 | †Oceania (new)Dec.22.
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Sun rises..7:10 | Sun sets..4:33 | Moon rises..2:00

TIDES TO-DAY.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	3:42	4:00	11:30	11:37
Governors Island	4:24	4:35	12:11	11:58
Hell Gate	6:14	6:25	1:34	1:48

Arrived—Monday, Dec. 6.

United States cruiser Salem, Boston, Dec. 5.
SS Lapland, Antwerp, Nov. 27.
SS Caledonia, Glasgow, Nov. 27.
SS Arabic, Liverpool, Nov. 27.
SS Chicago, Havre, Nov. 27.
SS Bulgaria, Hamburg, Nov. 23.
SS Lampasas, Mobile, Nov. 26.
SS Dunstan, Para, Nov. 23.
SS Frutera, Port Antonio, Dec. 1.
SS Minnesota, Port Antonio, Dec. 1.
SS Maraval, Grenada, Nov. 28.
SS Amelia, Port Antonio, Dec. 1.
SS Coamo, San Juan, Dec. 1.
SS Comus, New Orleans, Dec. 1.
SS Mills, New Orleans, Nov. 28.
SS Manna Hata, Baltimore, Dec. 5.

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TO-DAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Cherokee, S. Domingo	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
America, Naples	——	——
Regina d'Italia, Naples	——	——
Arapahoe, Jacksonville	——	1:00 P.M.
City of Atlanta, Savannah	——	3:00 P.M.

SAIL TO-MORROW.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Adriatic, Southampton	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
Lusitania, Liverpool	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Afghan Pr., Montevideo	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Drumcairne, Montevideo	3:00 P.M.	7:00 P.M.
Benedict, Para	6:00 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
Cristobal, Cristobal	10:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Kroonland, Antwerp	——	10:00 A.M.
Argentina, Naples	——	——
Lampasas, Tampa	——	12:00 M.
San Marcos, Galveston	——	12:00 M.
Camaguey, Cienfuegos	——	12:00 M.
Huron, Galveston	——	1:00 P.M.

SAIL THURSDAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
La Bretagne, Havre	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Rhein, Bremen	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Esperanza, Havana	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Frutera, Puerto Barrios	11:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Panama, Cristobal	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
Hellig Olav, Copenhagen	——	12:00 M.
Germania, Naples	——	——
C. of Augusta, Savannah	——	3:00 P.M.
Hamilton, Norfolk	——	3:00 P.M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, French, and German transatlantic lines until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.

Statendam	Rotterdam	Nov. 27
Berlin	Gibraltar	Nov. 29
Havana	Havana	Dec. 2
Zulia	La Guayra	Nov. 29
Neckar	Bremen	Nov. 27
City of Augusta	Savannah	Dec. 4
El Valle	Galveston	Dec. 1
El Paso	New Orleans	Dec. 2

DUE TO-MORROW.

Auchencrag	Lisbon	Nov. 24
Voltaire	Barbados	Nov. 2
Oruba	Port Antonio	Dec. 3
Seminole	Turk's Island	Dec. 2
Sibiria	Port Lamon	Nov. 22
Olinda	Nipe	Dec. 3
Concho	New Orleans	Dec. 3
Sicilia	Palermo	Nov. 27
Montserrat	Cadiz	Nov. 30
Morro Castle	Havana	Dec. 7
Altai	Inagua	Nov. 5
Napolitan Prince	Rotterdam	Nov. 27
City of Savannah	Savannah	Dec. 7

DUE THURSDAY.

Carmania	Naples	Nov. 28
Majestic	Southampton	Dec. 1
Iroquois	Avonmouth	Nov. 27
Bermudian	Bermuda	Dec. 7
Allianca	Cristobal	Dec. 3
Antilles	New Orleans	Dec. 4
Comanche	Jacksonville	Dec. 6
El Cid	Galveston	Dec. 3
Monroe	Norfolk	Dec. 8

Reported by Wireless.

SS Statendam, incoming from Rotterdam, was reported by Marconi wireless 343 miles east of Sandy Hook at 10:30 A. M. yesterday. Due at her pier, if not delayed, this morning.

SS Berlin, incoming from Genoa, was reported by Marconi wireless 363 miles east of Sandy Hook at 8 P. M. yesterday. Due at her pier, if not delayed, Wednesday morning.

SS Majestic, incoming from Southampton, was reported by Marconi wireless 1,084 miles east of Sandy Hook at 9:30 P. M. yesterday. Due at her pier, if not delayed, Friday morning.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

SS Mauretania, at Fishguard, Dec. 6.
SS Magdelena, at Barbados, Dec. 6.
SS Columbia, at Glasgow, Dec. 5.
SS Prinzess Irene at Genoa, Dec. 4.
SS Perugia, at Naples, Dec. 4.
SS Buffalo, at Hamburg, Dec. 3.
SS Volturno, at Rotterdam, Dec. 4.
SS United States, at Christiansand, Dec. 5.
SS Kasama, at Beira Dec. 5.
SS Haddon Hall, at Port Natal, Dec. 5.

Sailed.

SS Idaho, from Hull, Dec. 6.
SS Argenfels, from Hamburg, Dec. 3.
SS Wells City, from Swansea, Dec. 5.
SS Oceania, from Naples, Dec. 4.
SS Oruba, from Kingston, Dec. 3.

Passed.

SS Alice, New York for Naples, passed Gibraltar.

Pacific Steamships.

Destination and Steamer.	Mails Close in New York.	
Japan, Korea, and China, (specially addressed only,) (via Seattle)—Oceano	Dec. 9	6:30 P.M.
Hawaii (via San Francisco)—Hilonian	Dec. 9	6:30 P.M.
Japan, Corea, China and Philippine Islands (via Vancouver and Victoria B. C.—Empress of China	Dec. 10	6:30 P.M.
Samoan Islands, New Zealand and Australia (except West) (via San Francisco)—Tymeric	Dec. 12	6:30 P.M.
Japan, Corea and China (specially addressed only) (via Tacoma)—Fitzpatrick	Dec. 15	6:30 P.M.
Hawaii and Philippine Islands, and specially addressed mail for Japan, Corea, and China (via San Francisco)—Mongolia	Dec. 16	6:30 P.M.
Japan, Corea, China, and Philippine Islands (via Seattle)—Minnesota	Dec. 17	6:30 P.M.
Tahiti, Marquesas and Cook Islands, New Zealand and especially addressed mail for Australia (via San Francisco)—Mariposa	Dec. 23	6:30 P.M.
Hawaii, Japan, Corea, China and Philippine Islands (via San Francisco)—Tenyo Maru	Dec. 23	6:30 P.M.
Fiji Islands, New Zealand and Australia (except West) (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Aorangi	Dec. 26	6:30 P.M.
Hawaii, Guam and Philippine Islands (via San Francisco)—U. S. transport	Dec. 31	6:30 P.M.

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THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Middle West storm of Sunday has disappeared beyond Lake Superior without causing further precipitation than some light snows in the lake region. The Pacific disturbance mentioned Saturday and Sunday night has moved rapidly down the western slope of the Rocky Mountains to Southern Texas, and then northeastward to the Mississippi. It is as yet of moderate intensity, but gives promise of further development and rapid movement northeastward by way of the Ohio Valley. This storm during Monday had been attended by general rains in the West Gulf States and snows in the Arkansas and Missouri Valleys, the central plains States, and the middle and south Rocky Mountain regions.

The winds along the New England Coast will be moderate and variable, probably becoming northeast and increasing Tuesday night; Middle Atlantic Coast, north to east, increasing by Tuesday night; South Atlantic Coast, moderate east, probably brisk on North Carolina Coast; East Gulf, moderate west to northwest; West Gulf Coast, north and brisk on the lower lakes; variable, becoming northeast and increasing; upper lakes, moderate west to northwest over north portion and brisk north over south portion.

Steamships departing Tuesday for European ports will have moderate, variable winds, becoming east and probably increasing Tuesday night, with fair Tuesday and rain or snow Wednesday to the Grand Banks.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND WEDNESDAY.

New England—Fair and colder Tuesday. Wednesday, snow in north, rain or snow in south, portion; variable winds, becoming northeast and increasing Tuesday night.

Eastern New York—Increasing cloudiness Tuesday; rain or snow by night. Wednesday, colder, with snow followed by clearing in south portion; winds becoming northeast and increasing.

Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey—Rain or snow Tuesday or Tuesday night. Wednesday, snow and colder in north, clearing and colder in south portion; winds becoming northeast and increasing.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1908.	1909.		1908.	1909.
3 A. M.	25	43	4 P. M.	32	52
6 A. M.	23	41	6 P. M.	32	48
9 A. M.	24	41	9 P. M.	35	43
12 M.	30	49	12 P. M.	36	..

This thermometer is 108 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 46; for the corresponding date last year it was 30; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 36.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 40; at 8 P. M. it was 44. Maximum temperature, 54 degrees at 2:15 P. M.; minimum, 39 degrees at 6:55 A. M.

Humidity, 77 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 55 per cent. at 8 P. M.

DEMOCRATIC HARMONY DINNER

Leaders in the New League Gather in the Manhattan Club To-night.

Leaders of the Democratic harmony movement from all parts of this State will attend the dinner to be given this evening by the Manhattan Club to the Executive Committee of the Democratic League, the organization launched at the Saratoga conference.

Ex-Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, President of the Manhattan Club, will be toastmaster. The other speakers will be ex-Judge Alton B. Parker, D Cady Herrick, Public Service Commissioner Thomas M. Osborne of Auburn, Mayor John K. Sague of Poughkeepsie, Martin W. Littleton, and S. Stanwood of Menken.

Mr. Menken is the originator of the league movement. Mr. Osborne is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Democratic League, which will conduct the affairs of the organization until superseded by the General Committee now in process of formation. The other members of the Executive Committee are Edward M. Shepard, Morgan J. O'Brien, S. Stanwood Menken, Hugh Duffy of Binghamton, John Anderson of Essex, James Smith of Erie, W. S. Rodie, Charles F. Rattigan of Cayagua, James H. Glavin of Saratoga, William G. Rice of Albany, and Col. Robert Grier Monroe.

It is expected that at least 200 Democrats will attend the dinner.

CUSTOMS SALE OF LEECHES.

Unclaimed Importation Made Employes of the Seizure Room Uneasy.

Three cases of French and Italian leeches, which arrived here on the last westward trip of the steamship Hudson, have been overlooked by their owner, and designated by the customs officials as "unclaimed perishable merchandise." When nobody called for them the steamship agents notified Collector Loeb, who gave orders to have them transferred to the Appraiser's Stores.

The officers and employes connected with the seizure room demurred when they heard of the Collector's order with the result that the unwelcome importation will remain in a bonded warehouse until the leeches are sold at public auction, Dec. 15. The leeches are packed in mud, and will, it is said, remain alive in their present condition for six months. The customs officials do not know to what use the leeches were intended, as they are little used nowadays by the medical fraternity.

Deputy Collector Storey, in charge of the seizure room, set out yesterday to find prospective bidders for the leeches. He will also sell on Dec. 15 a variety of seized articles ranging from a model of a battleship to a dead seaman's chest.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Altar Cards Are Held to be Free of Duty as Church "Regalia."

Altar cards, it was decided yesterday by the Board of United States General Appraisers, are to be regarded for tariff purposes as "regalia," and as such free of duty. The board's ruling was taken on a protest filed in behalf of the Rev. Father Letellier, rector of the Church of St. John the Baptist, this city.

Collector Loeb took the ground that the cards are "printed matter" and dutiable at 25 per cent. The Collector held that as the cards are not held in the hand during services, they are excluded from the benefit of free entry. The Collector's action was based on an old case where the testimony was to the effect that the cards were not borne in the hands during religious ceremonies and were intended for presentation to a hospital.

In reversing the Collector's classification, General Appraiser Hay says that the testimony in the present case distinguishes it from the case relied upon by Mr. Loeb and places a new aspect on the use made of the altar cards in question. The protest is therefore sustained and a reliquidation of the duties ordered. Thomas W. Churchill of Churchill & Marlow appeared for the importer.

Grieve for Princess Waldemar.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., Dec. 6.—There is much sorrow here over the death of Princess Waldemar, the wife of the youngest son of the late King Christian of Denmark. On Sunday flags were half-masted on the public buildings, the Consulates, private residences, and shipping. Half-minute guns were fired and salutes of twenty-one guns by the shore battery, the Danish cruiser Ingolf, and the German cruiser Victoria Luise. Church bells were tolled and special prayers were offered. The newspapers pay a warm tribute to the late Princess, remarking especially her deeds of charity to the poor.

BUSINESS TROUBLES

MAX ARONSON.—Max Aronson, dealer in stationery, candy, and tobacco, at 61 West Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities of $3,660 and no assets.

ESKA SILK COMPANY.—Judge Holt has appointed Burgwyn Maitland receiver in bankruptcy for Sonderbrand & Keat, doing business as the Eska Silk Company at 10 East Fourteenth Street.

EMPIRE STORE COMPANY.—Schedules in bankruptcy of the Empire Store Company, clothing, at Middletown, show liabilities of $6,734 and nominal assets of $6,122, consisting of stock, $5,300; fixtures, $700; cash, $77, and accounts, $45.

WILLIAM L. STRAUS & CO.—Judge Adams has appointed Henry E. Mattison receiver in bankruptcy for William L. Straus & Co., importers of druggists' sundries at 109 Worth Street. The assets are estimated at $3,500.

GERALD LYON.—Gerald Lyon of 541 West 113th Street has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities of $4,228 and nominal assets of $890 on a claim for damages for breach of contract of employment. He owes Harry Content, a Wall Street broker, $1,000 for loans.

Judge Hough appointed A. M. Yuzzolino receiver, with a bond of $3,000. The liabilities are estimated at $15,000, and the assets at $12,000. The bankruptcy proceedings were precipitated by a judgment for $452, obtained by John B. Mazziotta, and a suit pending for $144 by another creditor.

MOEREL C. KAHN & CO.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Moerel C. Kahn, doing business as Moerel C. Kahn & Co., manufacturer of muslin underwear, at 27 Mercer Street, by these creditors: William Stickel & Co., $476; Columbia Paper Company, $30, and William B. Bliss, Jr., & Co., $7. It was alleged that he is insolvent, made preferential transfers of property, and removed considerable property.

MOSES SCHWARTZ.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Moses Schwartz, manufacturer of waists, 213 Greene Street, by these creditors: Arnstaedt & Co., $537, and Jean Bry & Son, $559. It was alleged that he is insolvent, made preferential payments of $1,000, transferred merchandise and accounts of $1,000, and removed a large part of his property. Judge Hough appointed William Henkel, Jr., receiver. The liabilities are $5,000 and the assets $1,500.

ITALIAN CO-OPERATIVE UNION.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against the Italian Co-operative Union, dry goods department store, 2,258 First Avenue, corner 116th Street, by these creditors: Charles Grannattasio, $250; Charles M. Villone, $124; Charles A. Pecora, $180, all for money lent in the corporation. It was alleged that the corporation is insolvent and admitted in writing its inability to pay its rent. The corporation was incorporated on June 5, 1907, with a capital stock of $25,000, of which it was claimed $16,000 was cash paid in by twelve business men of Harlem to cater to the Italian trade. Business has been reported poor for some time past and several of the officers resigned.

ILLUSTRATED ART PUBLISHING COMPANY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against the Illustrated Art Publishing Company, dealer in post cards at 28 West Fifteenth Street, by these creditors: Strauss & Muller $322, Samson Brothers $300, and the Arthur Otto Company $27. It was alleged that the company is insolvent and made preferential payments. Judge Hough appointed Edward B. Boise receiver. The liabilities are $18,000 and the assets $5,000. The company was incorporated on May 1, 1907, with a capital stock of $5,000, and Martin Hofflin was President and Treasurer.

FRANKLIN MANUFACTURING COMPANY.—Two petitions in bankruptcy have been filed against Israel Franklin, doing business as the Franklin Manufacturing Company, manufacturer of ladies' underwear, 32 Greene Street. One was by these creditors: H. B. Claflin Company, $450; Rothschild & Newman, $50, and Wilson & Bradbury, $50. The other was by these creditors: Edward F. Murray, $370, on an assigned claim of Liberman Brothers; Fliss Brothers & Gordon, $185, and R. Gruhn & Co., $50. It was alleged that he is insolvent, made preferential payments, assigned accounts, and received some of his stock. He began business in July, 1905, and in January last claimed to have capital of $15,000. Judge Hough appointed Herman H. Oppenheimer receiver. The liabilities are $14,000 and the assets $3,000.

WELLESLEY MANUFACTURING COMPANY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Isidore Perlstein and Isidore Morris, who compose the firm of Perlstein & Morris, trading as the Wellesley Manufacturing Company, waists and dresses, 34 and 36 West Houston Street, by these creditors: Henry Polash, $297; Israel Dressner, $199, and Max Schanger, as the American Cloak and Trimming Company, $45. It was alleged that he is insolvent, made preferential payments and transfer of stock and accounts, and permitted creditors to obtain preference by legal proceedings. Judge Hough appointed J. B. G. Risehart receiver. The liabilities are $4,000 and the assets $750. Mr. Morris began business in January, 1907, and Mr. Perlstein became a partner in January, 1909. Mr. Morris was put into bankruptcy by creditors on Nov. 9, 1908, but the petition was dismissed soon after on a settlement at 25 cents on the dollar.

GEORGE I. ROBINSON, JR.—Schedules in bankruptcy of George I. Robinson, Jr., who lives at the Astor House, formerly a note broker in Boston, against whom a creditors' petition in bankruptcy was filed here on Dec. 12, 1908, show liabilities of $253,867, and nominal assets of $229,523, consisting of notes and checks $196,778, accounts $15,000, (estimated,) claims $12,180, and interest in land in South Boston and Dedham $5,565. He was formerly of Hall, Bardwell & Co., and of the notes $140,000 are believed to be in the hands of his former business associates, and Robert E. Belcher, Massachusetts State Prison. Among the notes are those of Edward L. Collins, $130; Byron G. Clark, $9,178, and Alfred E. Rose, $5,800. There are fourteen creditors in New York City, whose claims aggregate $10,330, among them being Edward Lauterbach, $2,500; Henry A. Seymour, $4,500; Astor House, $345, for board, and Hotel Belleclaire, $100. He also owes for board at Young's Hotel, Boston, $216; Hyde Park Hotel, Chicago, $85, and Hotel Majestic, Philadelphia, $25. Among the other creditors are Alfred V. Lincoln, $56,235; Commercial Investment Associate $13,500; Henry S. Potter, $6,000; Clarence F. Eldridge, $6,000; Hiram A. Hodge, $10,000; Lemuel E. Dunham, $6,000; William E. Barrett estate, $7,900; American National Bank, $12,000, and Union Trust Company, $6,000, all of Boston; John Hasseltine, Medford, $16,000; Edward B. Wilson, Newton, $6,400, and First National Bank of Oxford, N. Y., $2,000. The debts were contracted between 1906 and 1908, and are principally for loans, notes, indorsements, and guarantees.

Discharges from Bankruptcy.

Judge Hough in the United States District Court yesterday granted discharges to these bankrupts:

HARRIS & SIEGEL, real estate operators and builders, 198 Broadway; liabilities $296,626.
ELKIND & SCHWARTZ, furs, 101 Prince Street; liabilities $15,904.
IDA B. ARONBERG, dressmaker, 116 West 117th Street; liabilities $238.
JOHN BLOCK of Henschel & Block, stockbrokers, 25 Broad Street; liabilities $880.
ABRAHAM FERBER, 19 Division Street, formerly hotel at Rockaway; liabilities $3,048.
OWEN HAGAN, court attendant, 32 Franklin Street; liabilities $2,654.
GEORGE S. O'NEILL, formerly liquor dealer and undertaker, 2,121 Amsterdam Avenue; liabilities $7,390.
SOLOMON E. WEISEL, salesman, 1,348 Fifth Avenue, formerly liquor dealer, tailor, and diamond seller; liabilities $2,801.

Judgments.

These judgments, for more than $100, were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Alexander, Henri P.—L. Rabinowitz et al., $106.
Barry, Richard J.—J. Marks, costs, $112.
Burckel, Martin (not summoned) & Jacob—Francis C. Neale, Inc., $447.
Bepp, John F.—E. Fleischl, $352.
Browne, Anthony—M. Maxon, $847.
Bergeman, Louis R.—A. Bailey, $114.
Cohen, Ethel & Samuel—S. Gagnet, $170.
Cohen, Harry—L. Cohen, $248.
Cohen, Barnet & Fannie (not summoned) et al.—H. Horowitz, $600.
Dalley, William J. F.—L. K. Ungrich et al., $266.
Dilkes, T. Pancoast—Sherman National Bank, $495.
Same—W. H. Maclay, $215.
Di Vita, Giovanni, adm.—City and Suburban Homes Co., costs, $107.
Same—P. Norton, costs, $125.
Emmeluth, Louis—F. L. Shelf, $146.
Fanchun, Joseph (not summoned) et al.—H. B. Claflin Co., $154.
Goldberg, Max—J. A. McCafferty, $617.
Gloss, Mary R.—New Netherland Bank of New York, $352.
Gerlach, Daniel et al.—F. H. Smith et al., $140.
Harris, Leopold et al.—H. R. Carberry, $316.
Heitzner, Frank—J. Rosenzweig, $161.
Hemming, Henry G., et al.—People, &c., $1,000.
Hurson, Bernard—N. Y. Transportation Co., costs, $108.
Huber, August—H. B. Claflin Co., $178.
Haff, Robert W.—H. Yonge, $1,870.
Jormack, Jacob, (not summoned,) et al.—H. Horowitz, $600.
Johnston, Alice A.—G. Gibbons, $423.
Koch, Henry W., et al.—I. Schneider et al., $388.
Keller, Julius H., et al.—C. Spielmann et al., costs, $127.
Kavanagh, Anna M.—Hobart Estate Co., $238.
Katz, Maurice J.—Title Ins Co. of N. Y., $600.
Lattimer, S. Barclay—F. A. Corbin, $173.
Levey, Henry—Niagara Lithograph Co., $713.
Leiberman, Louis—L. Kritz et al., $492.
Levy, Herman H.—S. Glemby, $271.
Marshall, Winifred E.—Oppenheim, Collins & Co., $112.
Millstein, Hyman—A. Brochner, $114.
Mahaney, Frank J.—H. Osborne, $289.
Metzner, Samuel—J. Harris, $484.
McCarthy, Mitchell F.—W. Trevor, $389.
McGarroy, Daniel—A. Dolfinger, $117.
Napier, Thomas S., et al.—C. Spielmann et al., costs, $127.
Neuman, Charles A.—W. Abbott, $146.
Niemeyer, Felix—J. Evans, $114.
Parelli, Charles—N. A. Amodes et al., $113.
Peppe, Alphonse—C. Adler, $241.
Rothbaum, Sam, et al.—L. Stern, $104.
Richards, Katherine L.—Real Estate Management Co., $142.
Reiss, Charles, et al.—H. B. Claflin Co., $154.
Rouden, Adolph—Parke, Davis & Co., $867.
Snydecker, Isaac E.—A. Segal, $3,511.
Spitzer, Morris, et al.—H. R. Carberry, $316.
Silverman, Charles—L. M. Taylor, $214.
Saltzman, Louis H.—E. G. Lyons & Raas Co., $123.
Spechler, Abraham, Aaron, (not summoned,) and Edward, (not summoned)—J. Sturmer, $519.
Same—Same, $519.
Warzaw, Israel, (not summoned,) et al.—I. Schneider et al., $388.
Weiss, Annie—H. B. Claffiin Co., $144.
Wollowitz, Louis, et al.—H. Horowitz, $600.
Whitridge, Frederick W., receiver—H. Crueger, $1,114.
Wolins, Michael and Leo, (not summoned)—A. Kutner et al., $138.
Whitridge, Frederick W., receiver—F. Latargia, $3,183.
Warzaw Co., (not summoned,) et al.—I. Schneider et al., $388.
Clason Press—Whiting Paper Co., $198.
Frank T. Morrill & Co.—H. M. Toch et al., $345.
Illinois Surety Co., et al.—People, &c., $1,000.
N. Y. Elevated R. R. Co., Manhattan Ry. Co., and Interborough Rapid Transit Co.—Trustees of Columbia College of the City of N. Y., costs, $164.
Eastern Woolen Co.—A. Kemp, $194.
Bleim Fire Proofing Co., et al.—F. M. Smith et al., $140.

Satisfied Judgments.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Arras, William—C. Arras, Oct. 27, 1909, $965.
Briskman, Joseph—A. Weis, May 16, 1907, $332.
Baker, Sarah V.—Title Guarantee and Trust Co., July 27, 1909, $2,904.
Dreyer, Charles—J. C. Gavigan, Oct. 2, 1909, $2,657.
Earle, Henry M.—J. H. Canfield, Jan. 24, 1908, $108.
Flood, John—T. F. J. Moffett, Nov. 24, 1909, $220.
S. C. of Royal Arcanum—S. L. Secor, Nov. 16, 1909, $3,274.
United Surety Co.—D. Musco, Nov. 29, 1909, $134.
Van Ranst, John—J. S. Turner, Sept. 12, 1902, $176.
Wehn, Karl—Interborough Rapid Transit Co., July 1, 1902, $176.
Wehn, Karl—Interborough Rapid Transit Co., July 1, 1908, $107.
Winkler, Isaac and Simon M.—R. D. Rudd, March 13, 1907, $3,693.
Same—Same, March 13, 1907, $5,194.
Same—Same, Nov. 23, 1909, $120.
Same—Same, Aug. 15, 1908, $101.
Same—Same, Aug. 15, 1908, $107.
Howard, Robert S.—M. Lyons, Oct. 15, 1909, vacated, $746.
Minder, Harry, et al.—People, &c., Oct. 18, 1909, vacated, $500.
De Maria, Francesco, et al.—People, &c., Oct. 18, 1909, vacated, $500.
Ehrlich, Ferdinand and Harry—H. Perlman, April 22, 1909, reversed, $596.
Fraker, E. Porter—A. G. Hyde & Sons, March 12, 1909, reversed, $163.
Metropolitan St. Ry. Co.—C. Olsen, Oct. 22, 1909, $116.
N. Y. Transportation Co.—R. Donovan, March 23, 1909, $1,612.
Same—L. Rooney, Oct. 25, 1909, $502.
Oichman, Solomon—M. Weller, Nov. 11, 1909, $590.
Joline, Adrian H., and Douglas Robinson, receivers—I. Zweig, Aug. 4, 1909, $151.
Same—M. Glennan, Nov. 18, 1908, $278.
Same—S. Harris, May 25, 1908, $224.
Same—A. M. Mackenzie, June 23, 1908, $228.
Same—L. Miller, Nov. 10, 1909, $300.
Same—T. Young, Jr., April 17, 1909, $281.
Same—A. G. Caldwell, Jan. 12, 1909, $359.
Same—J. Norris, Feb. 4, 1908, $534.
Same—D. Vitis, March 30, 1909, $1,131.
Interborough Rapid Transit Co.—J. Baumann, Oct. 22, 1909, $10,115.
Nichthauser, Berthal—H. Lorge, Aug. 12, 1909, $31.
Revillon Freres, Inc.—L. Cassier, Feb. 10, 1909, $5,566.

Queens County.

COUNTY COURT—Trial Term—Held temporarily at the 275th Police Precinct Building, 4th St., near Vernon Av., Long Island City.—Humphrey, J.—Court opens and calendar called at 10 A. M. 107—Savine, an infant, vs. N Y & Q Co Ry Co. 94—Dotson vs. Stewart. 111—Gaskins vs. Reese. 115—Salthe vs. B H R R Co. 118—Jarvis vs. same. 114—Kellinghausen vs. Lueckert. 126—Best vs. L I R R Co. 128—Rothfritz vs. B H R R Co. 130—Gannon vs. same. 131—Kendrick vs. City of N Y and L I R R Co. 132—Fleming vs. B H R R Co. 133—Woolney vs. Sussman. 134—Greenbaum vs. Nagelman. Balance of calendar passed for the day. Highest number reached on calendar is 134.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Held temporarily at the Town Hall, in the former Village of Flushing, Queens County, N. Y.—Garretson, J.—Court opens and calendar called at 10 A. M. 730—Kieley, an infant, vs. N Y & Q Co Ry Co. 511—Bartell vs. S. Pearson & Son. 731, 732—Conklin, an infant, vs. N Y & Q Co Ry Co. 738—Conway, an infant vs. Wilson et al. 491—Erickson vs. Cent Drew Co of N Y. 369—McGlynn vs. Penn. Steel Co. 370—Juve vs. same. 728—Vogelback, an infant, vs. Erie Ry Co. 739—Schnell, an infant, vs. Rapp. 744—Daly vs. Fischer. 745—Svoboda vs. Burke & Sons & Co et al. 746—Welland vs. Somerville Realty Co. Balance of calendar passed for the day. Highest number reached on general calendar in its order is 748.

COURT CALENDARS FOR TO-DAY

FEDERAL.

Supreme Court Decisions.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The following were among the decisions handed down by the United States Supreme Court to-day:

236—The United States, plaintiff, vs. John A. Corbett et al.—Judgment reversed.

339—Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. vs. The Inter-State Commerce Commission.—Order set aside and case remanded, with directions to proceed in conformity with law.

275—Southern Pacific Company and Oregon & California Railroad Company vs. Inter-State Commerce Commission.—Certificate dismissed and case remanded, with directions to proceed therein in conformity with law.

85—Kansas City Star Company, plaintiff, vs. Henry S. Julian.—Dismissed for want of jurisdiction.

594—Inter-State Commerce Commission et al. vs. The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad et al.—Motion to advance granted.

685—Samuel Gompers et al., petitioners, vs. Bucks Stove and Range Company.—Certiorari granted.

670—Charles W. Morse, petitioner, vs. The United States.—Certiorari denied.

673—Nellie F. Keiper, administratrix, &c., petitioner, vs. Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States.—Certiorari denied.

53—C. M. Pendleton, plaintiff in error, vs. The United States.—Passed.

490 and 491—The United States, plaintiff vs. Pierre Grimaud and Antonio Inda.—Motion to advance submitted.

581—United States, plaintiff, vs. William B. Hammers.—Motion to advance submitted.

641—Inter-State Commerce Commission vs. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company.—Motion to advance submitted.

691—New Liverpool Salt Company, petitioner, vs. California Development Company et al.—Certiorari submitted.

66—John A. Brill and The J. G. Brill Company, appellants, vs. The Washington Railway and Electric Company.—Death of John A. Brill, one of the appellants, suggested, and appearance of Edward Brill, Amelia Brill Riddle, and Frank Fisher, executors, as parties appellants herein filed and entered for the appellants.

480—Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company of Texas, plaintiff, vs. Harry C. Bailey—Motion to dismiss or affirm submitted.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 2 o'clock. Day call for Tuesday: Nos. 469, 51, 52, 54, 56, 57, 801, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS.—Lacombe, Coxe, Ward, and Noyes, JJ.—59—U S v. Haviland. 105—Hall v. Norddeutscher Lloyd. 106—Smith v. U S. 108—U S v. Boker. 109—Pollitz v. Wabash R R. 20—Matter of Fischer. 31—Welles v. Chic & Northwestern Ry. 38—In re Schulman. 41—In re Kretsch. 48—Tibbits v. Converse.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—Hand, J.—Jury calendar. 42—Am Air Cleaning Co v. Rogers. 54—Carroll v. Klaw. 57—First Nat Bank Mt Vernon v. Nat Park Bank. 60—Griffith v. Prince. 10—Frost v. Barber. 20—Francioso v. Root. 36—Compania Azucarera Cubana v. Young. 52—Hare v. Post & McCord. 62—Carosi v. L V R R. 66—Tollucci v. Erie R R. 68—Stern v. Remick. 76—O'Hara v. C R R of N J. 82—Lehtoner v. N Y, N H & H R R. 97—McCaffrey v. N Y, N H & H R R. 100—Federal Const Co v. Sill.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Adams, J.—Admiralty. 148—McWilliams v. Tug Chas H Senff. 125—N Y Tan Ext Co v. SS Royal Sceptre. 167—Dailey v. Tug Bouker. 168—Tice v. SS Senator. 172—Morse v. Ocean St Nav Co. 180—Gillen v. City of N Y. 189—McElwee v. Scows 12 and 7. 190—Potter v. same. 107—Federal Ins Co v. India Line. 195—S S Rutherglen Co v. Harvard & Partners. 200—Hastorf v. Tug Henry O'Brien. 51—Farrell v. Tug Bern. 110—L V Transpt Co v. N Y C R R. 122—Same v. same. 212—McCaffrey v. Pierce & Co. 77—Lyon v. Barge J S Keeler. 65—Duval v. SS Burma. 85—M & C D & W Co v. Stbt H Hudson. 213—Gibbs v. Stbt Maryland. 214—Garrison v. Nether-Am. Nav Co. 216—Comp Cubana v SS Julia Luckenbach. 218—Walsh v. Yacht Cherokee. 221—Constant & Pick SS Co v. Lind. 227—Poboretsky v. Austro-Am SS Co. 228—Goodwin v. Tug 3. 229—Delorme v. Tug 16. 231—Hunt v. Tug E A Packer. 233—Torkildsen v. Barber. 234—Shamrock Tow Line v. City of N Y. 238—Carroll v. SS Caronia. 133—Johnson v. City of N Y. 146—Gildersleeve v. Stbt Perseus. 87—Howard v. Steers. 239—N Y & Porto Rico SS Co v. Tug W E Chapman. 240—Hamburg, &c, SS Co v. SS Richmond. 243—Tug W E Gladwish, Limitation, &c. 244—City of N Y v. Tug Anthracite. 250—Reichert v. Tug McCaldin Bros. 251—Jacobus v. Dredge 2. 254—Smith v. SS Merida.

STATE.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Supreme Court—Ingraham, McLaughlin, Laughlin, Houghton, and Scott, JJ.—Enumerated motions. 27—Hunter v. Bacon. 28—Erie Basin Imp Co v. Smith. 29—Medowes v. Michel. 30—Fritz v. Monakad. 33—Siemann v. N Y Transp Co. 34—D Siemann v. same. 35—Rosen v. Phillipsborn Co. 36—Cohn v. Catskill Mt Ry. 38—Birmingham v. Gerard Son & Co. 4—People v. Perse. 2—Same v. Thom. 39—Zwecker v. Levine. 40—McCaffrey v. B & O R R. 41—Lynch v. Pierce. 42—Kinkaid v. Knights of St. John & Malta. 43—Lawler v. Densmore-Crompton Bldg Co.

APPELLATE TERM—Supreme Court—Giegerich, Dayton, and Lehman, JJ. For hearing of appeals from the Municipal Court.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part I.—MacLean, J.—Litigated motions. 1—Koch v. Williams. 2—Redmond v. U S Mtge Co. 3—Gottlieb v. Horowitz. 4—Gagne v. Cooper. 5—Koch v. Koch. 6—Burrill v. Marcus. 7—Symmers v. Starin. 8 and 8½—Mason v. Pier. 9—Linch v. Moynahan. 10—Schnaier v. Onward Const Co. 11—Galt v. Flint. 12—In re Elliott. 13—United Merchants Realty Co v. City of New York. 14—Brennerman v. McGlynn. 15—Niles v. Winkler. 16—Mason v. Pier. 17—Keenan v. Fay. 18—Bilder v. Ellis. 19—Connerry v. Hecker, &c, Co. 20—Reuss v. Reuss. 21—Bronx Gas, &c, Co. v. Smith Cont Co. 22—In re White Plains Road. 23—Wendel v. City of New York. 24—Nichols v. Nichols. 25—King v. Doerr. 26—Wheelwright v. Fleischman Co. 27—Diamantidis v. Travers Co. 28—Meredith v. Koehler. 29—Abbate v. Carey Mfg Co. 30—Koch v. Williams. 31—Haigh v. Zimmerman. 32—Taylor v. Rubin. 33—O'Rourke Co v. Goodwin Car Co. 34—Flegin v. Int R T Co. 35—Johnson v. same. 36—Bloch v. Bloch. 37—Walpin Bath Co v. Friedman. 38—Reich v. Levitt. 39—Fuerst v. N Y Eve Journal. 40—In re Fromm. 41—Nicholls v. Nicholls. 42 and 43—Fishmann v. Goldstein. 44—Searle v. Halstead. 45—Primieno v. Yankee Polish Co. 46—Fuerst v. N Y Eve Journal. 47—Smid v. Saxl. 48—Herz v. Herz. 49—Paris Modes Co v. Simon. 50—Karpowitz v. Bernstein. 51—McCormick v. Morgan. 52—Fitzgerald v. Fitzgerald. 53—Nagle v. Korn. 54—In re Jerome Av. 55—In re Levy. 56—Powell v. Minsky. 57—Carpenter v. Luhrsen. 58—Byrne v. Brooklyn, &c, R R. 59—Isenhower v. same. 60—Boyle v. same. 61—Isenhower v. same. 62—Haine v. same. 63—Gates v. Newman. 64—Mantsewick v. U S Gypsum Co. 65—Murphy v. Murphy. 66—McGarry v. McGarry. 67—Hirsch v. Newhouse. 68—Pryor v. Peck, &c, Co. 69—Trombetta v. Cent New Eng Ry. 70—Jefferson v. Gillespie. 71—Tunis v. Tunis. 72—Loonie v. Niagara Stable Co. 73—Mendelsohn v. Nat Fish, &c, Co. 74—Chiodi v. Reddy. 75—Luciano v. McWilliam. 76—Slade v. Quier. 77—Henphy v. Marie Antoinette Hotel Co. 78—Am Bridge Co v. Buckley. 79 and 80—Warner v. Roberts. 81—Oothout v. Alley. 82—Hickex v. Falk. 83—Greenberg v. Rodfe Ansby Paltzk. 84—Dolinsky v. O'Connell. 85—Mencher v. Mencher. 86—Hall v. Hall. 87—Guaranty Trust Co v. Moynahan. 88—Curry v. Staten Island Land Co. 89—Cleverdon v. Vail. 90—O'Neill v. Delaney. 91 and 92—Rennert v. Beck. 93—Caracena v. Caracena. 94—Galanos v. Hellenic Trans Co. 95—Adams v. N Y City Ry. 96—Guttman v. Edelman. 97—Ellis v. Silver. 98—Krim v. Korman. 99—Damsky v. Lipschitz. 100—Gotthelf v. Imperial Theatre Co.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Seabury, J.—Ex parte business.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part III.—Davis, J.—Motions. General calendar. 2464 Henkel v. Henkel. 553—Spearing v. Appleby. 2235—Naprstek v. Naprstek. 2250—Gross v. Neiman. 2303—Dixson v. Thompson. 2694—Koop v. Davis. 2697—Salmon v. Clarke. 2664—Horn v. Horn. 2855—Roediger v. Roediger. 2951—Steglich v. Schneider. 3077—Bockar v. Schroeder. 3257—Stone v. Stone. 3363—Ferber v. Bogart. 3380—Roth v. City of N Y. 3414—Ashbrooke v. Ashbrooke, Jr. 3641—Callery v. Sugraines. 3408—Fitchett v. McCrea. 3464—Sherman v. Clarke. 3476—Lieberman v. Saperstein. 3694—Von Bremen v. Macmonnies. 3696—Baver Co v. Leahy Bldg Co.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part I.—Pound, J.—(Criminal.) 1—Frank Roche. 2—Leo Weyl. 3—Aaron Schornstein. 4—Simon H. Harmon.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part II.—Platzek, J.—3906—Collins v. Ahearn. 5492—Deutscher v. Deutscher. 5168—Mandel Bldg Co v. Weiss. 6010—Bagg v. White. 6028—McCaul Cont Co v. Cohen. 5181—Danzig v. Baroody. 5580—Streicher v. Grossman. 5388—Sampson v. Rutherford Rubber Co. 5369—Goldman v. Duerr. 5502—Jackson v. Lux. 4945—Saul v. Lyon. 6332—Schultz v. Schultz. 5672—Aldcroft v. Terry. 6834—Herzlich v. Herzlich.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part III.—McCall, J.—1032—Weissmann v. Union Ry. 1033—Thomas v. same. 1005—Frankel v. Joline. 1048—Pers v. Ladd. 1401—McDermott v. Erie R R. 1041—Landsman v. Joline. 1042—Same v. same. 1061—Muldoon v. Int R T Co. 1372—Clark v. N Y C & H R R R. 947—Golding v. Int R T Co. 286—Crouse v. Int R T Co. 1009—McLoughlin v. Joline. 59—Fink v. Erie R R. 795—Webber v. Int R T Co. 820—Coveney v. Whitridge. 1019—Wheeler v. Joline. 1020—Same v. same. 1071—Schnall v. Nassau Elec R R. 603—Felton v. Brooklyn Heights R R. 1499—Adams v. N Y City Ry.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part VIII.—Hendrick, J.—41—Stern v. Stern. 87—Maher v. Roebling Const Co. 88—Vedral v. same. 2501—Katz v. J Applegate Co. 2505—Same v. same. 892—Labravico v. City of N Y. 1275—Persky v. Hecker-Jones-Jewell Milling Co. 2410—Temple v. Voegtlin. 2290—Thompson v. Post & McCord. 2075—Somogyl v. Fuhrer. 2606—Gilbert v. Becklein. 5700—Busch v. Casey. 2600—Rechter v. Beadleston & Woerz. 2604—Jordan v. Phelan. 2665—O'Connor v. Foundation Co. 2682—Glassman v. Hawks & Wetherbee. 1916—Sheppard v. Dreyfus. 4031—Hooley v. Talcott. 954—M Walter v. Strauss. 974—Max Walter v. same. 6140—McGuire v. Pfeiffenseneider. 2418—Margolin v. Gleichenhaus. 5893—Stephan v. Ward. 2254—Roche v. N Y Edison Co. 5519—Fay v. Bradley Cont Co. 1033—Mechanics' Nat Bk v. Secor. 2391—Martin v. Althaus. 1215—Goddard v. N Y Times Co. 2551, 2552—Friedlander v. Lanier. 2105—Barry v. Schauer. [illegible]—Schwarz v. Welch Motor Car Co. [illegible]—Feldheim v. Kedhon. [illegible]—Schwaber v. Sibley. City of N Y. 115—Jagoda v. Schlesstein. 5146—Ettinger v. Weil. 2684—Bufferm v. Fiss, Doerr & Carroll Co. 2638—Hausmann v. Wanamaker. 5768—Peet v. Harlem Const Co. 982½—Beers v. Volter. 1424—McPartland v. Healy.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XIV.—Bischoff, J.—1866—Mugler v. Hildebrand. 5848—Sariol v J P McDonald Co. 1430—Kerfoot v. Sand Bay Co. 2969—Taylor v. Newmark. 3013—Brown v. Dan Dreele. 3116—Shaw v. Dunn. 1404—Schweinberg v. Altman. 326½—Herklotz v. Loeb. 3008—Mugler v. Fleischmann Realty & Const Co. 3085—London Realty Co v. Oelsner. 1889—Fleetman v. Galland-Cohn-Hall Co. 2573—Stutzbach v. City of N Y. 2690—Michelin Tire Co v. Vendig. 5397—Busbey v. Ewing. 3258—Tomanello v. Nicosia. 2075—Irvine v. N Y Edison Co. 3008—Welsh Machine Works v. Maher. 2564—Hergert v. Hurtig & Seamon. 3027—Delinsky v. Weinstein. 3717—Clement v. Busse. 2526—Jones v. Davis. 1959—Watson v. City of N Y. 3020—Weber v. N Y C & H R R R. 3129—Lees v. City of N Y. 202—Hadert v. same. 851—Young v. Dresser. 3148—Henderson v. Hubbell. 3158—Roessler & Hasslacher Chemical Co v. Seitz. 3193—Yore French Bakery Co v. Daparquet, Huot & Moneuse Co. 3311—Ware v. Banta. 3319—Skinner Engine Co v. A. D. Granger Co. 3328—D'Annato v. Zuccaro. 3339—F & M Schaefer Brew Co v. Cunningham. 3341—Kroneberger v. Higbie. 3347—35% Auto Co v. Man Screw and Stamping Works. 3361—Kapp v. Moller. 3362—Aeolian Co v. Brennan. 3367—Durnell v. Wyckoff, Church & Partridge. 3369—Nessler v. Burrill. 3370—Miller v. Miller. 3371—Steck v. same. 8374—Brower v. Levinson. 3377—Grossman v. Rubin. 3378—J W Thompson Co v. Van Siclen. 3386—Taylor v. George. 3405—Aetna Life Ins Co v. Levinson. 3411—Kohn v. Shoninger.

SURROGATES' COURT — Chambers—Cohalan, S.—Motion Calendar. Estates of John R. Considine, Ina M. Hendrix, Wilhelmina Hasser, Frederick J. McCandless, Caroline A. Brundage, Thomas Fawcett, Peter H. Munday, Rose J. S. Duryea, Henry Reemer (or Theede), John Garbrant, William H. Crompton, Catharine F. Scheuber, Elizabeth F. Wertheimer, Helen Haering, Frederic A. Kursheedt, Albert H. Karutz, Adonijah H. Brummell, Henry Deimer, Elizabeth Purcell, Elizabeth Purcell, Sheppard Knapp, Robert B. Reilly, John W. Hogencamp, Jacob M. Steiner, Ann Eliza Everitt, Virena D. Fitch, James Nisbet, Jason Elliott, Cornelia A. Atwell, Sarah E. Fleming, Charles Robinson, Margaret Smith, William D. Thompson, Alice K. Brown, Mary I. Mott, Rachel S. Morison, Jacob Miller, Frances G. Pardee, John Owen, Nellie P. Hennessy, Marie A. Cheeks. Wills for Probate: William J. Epps, George Flach, William Engelsdorf, Stephen D. Walsh, Lucy Shaughnessy, Samuel Kohn, Henry E. Worcester, Annie R. Baer, Jessie G. Cruikshank.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Part I., Conlan, J.; Part II., La Fetra, J.; Part III., McAvoy, J.; Part V., O'Dwyer, C. J.; Part VI., Lynch, J.; Part VII., Finelite, J.; Part VIII., Delehanty, J. Calendar called in Part III. at 9:45. 4206—Fleischman v. Smith. 5509—Merkel v. Schneidler. 5299—Brooks v. Racich Asbestos Mfg Co. 4562—Standard Audit Co. v. Robotham. 4622—Wilcox v. Home Life Ins Co. 4733—Meinhardt v. Bartelson. 4800—Parente v. Fitzpatrick. 2136—Knecht v. Guarantee Dental Co. 740—Amanda Giordano. 3753—Van Castell v. Hutchins. 5385½—Walsh v. Davis. 4843—Hall's Portrait Studio v. McManus. 4844—Hebbel v. Int R T Co. 4846—Schmidt v. Schwartz. 4862—Newman v. Int R T Co. 4866—Nathanson v. Greenwald. 4873—Reimers v. Grant. 4883—Clauss v. Witte. 4138—Krausman v. Raymond. 4101—Charlop v. Waldman. 3208—Margarita v. Abrams. 750—Cardoza v. Strasser. 5085—Shepard v. Barry. 4136½—Kontrowitz v. Siegman. 1213—Jensen v. O'Rourke Co. 4880—Condon v. Bedell. 1711—Pomerant v. Kalvin. 2755—Leary v. Ansonia Mfg Co. 2478—Metzger v. Calloway.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Part IV.—Schmuck, J.—Short causes. 1396—Lange v. Kuhmerkel. 1573—Mohawk Cond Milk Co. v. Grand Cent I C Co. 1582—Carey v. Flannery. 1578—Gerstenfeld v. German. 1589—Fishman v. Post. 1509—Tucker v. Ziegfield. 1568—Fraser v. Russo. 1514—Jonasson v. Harris. 1369—Lasky v. Anchel. 1594—Simon v. Levinson. 1433—Frank v. Subin. 1593—Agoglia v. De Lawrence. 1426—Wolff v. Megargel. 1598—Schnee v. Mountain Const Co. 1564—Thorne v. Isaacson. 1586—Young Bros v. Lawrence.

Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Seabury, J.—In re Grossman—Reid L. Carr.

SUPREME COURT — MacLean, J.—Werdenschlag vs. Levy—Morris H. Beall. Nebit v. Kuntz—Frederick R. Rich.

Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—McCall, J.—Sophie Miller v. Catherine Gerlich—Charles A. Hickey. Wolf Goldberg v. Resht Realty Co.—Nathan S. Black.

CITY COURT—Green, J.—Harry Barnett v. Julius Lewinsky—Albert B. Quencer.

Brooklyn Calendars.

SUPREME COURT—Appellate Division—Second Department—Hirschberg, P. J.; Woodward, Burr, Thomas, Rich, JJ.—Enumerated day calendar. 1007—Eder v. Post. 1009 M A—Faltinau v. Copland Co. 1010 M A—Comora v. Pearlberg. 1011—Shatsky v. Robinson. 983—Wright v. Gerow. 411—Hedden Const Co v. Proctor Co. 987—City of Yonkers v. Federal Sugar Co. 1106—People v. Carlo. 1012—Gordon v. N Y Evening Journal. 1013—Clement v. Fingerlin. 1014—Lind v. L I R R. 1017—Bosca v. B, Q Co & S R R. 1018—Beauregard v. N Y Tunnel Co. 1019—May v. N Y C & H R R R.

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

NO. 12,189.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of TEWFICK M. MATTAR, trading as T. M. MATTAR & CO., Bankrupt.

To the creditors of the above-named bankrupt of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1909, the said Tewfick M. Mattar, trading as T. M. Mattar & Co., was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of William Allen, Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 67 Wall Street, New York City, N. Y., on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1909, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

WILLIAM ALLEN,
Dec. 6th, 1909. Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 12,788.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of M. FLEISHMAN, Inc., Bankrupt.

To the creditors of M. Fleishman, Inc., of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1909, the said M. Fleishman, Inc., was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of William Allen, Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 67 Wall St., New York City, N. Y., on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

WILLIAM ALLEN,
December 6th, 1909. Referee in Bankruptcy.

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Farwell, J. V., Company, Chicago, Ill.; J. B. Washburne, ladies' neckwear; 72 Leonard Street; Hotel Grand.
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Crane, F. L., Scranton, Penn.; hats; Hotel Albert.
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Patrick, F. A., Company, Duluth, Minn.; R. P. Schloman, furnishing goods, waists, skirts, and wrappers; W. H. Bruen, cloaks and suits; 51 Leonard Street.
Farwell, J. V., Company, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. Jacobi, dry goods; F. O. Streich, silks and ribbons; 72 Leonard Street.
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Mandel Brothers, Chicago, Ill.; J. B. Ertle, silks; 450 Broome Street; Hotel Grand.
Higbee Company, Cleveland, Ohio; Miss C. Seybold, ladies' wear; W. T. Higbee, ladies' and infants' wear; Hotel Imperial.
Frank, Bernard & Co., Montgomery, Ala.; F. Solomon, notions and furnishing goods; 43 Leonard Street.
Hale Brothers, San Francisco, Cal.; A. N. Brown, cloaks and suits; 895 Broadway; Hotel Wellington.
Almy, Bigelow & Washburn, Salem, Mass.; A. G. Selman, ladies' wear; 2 Walker Street; Hotel Wellington.
Donaldson, L. S., Company, Minneapolis, Minn.; J. Isba, cloaks and suits; 2 Walker Street; Hotel Wellington.
Meldrum, H. A., Company, Buffalo, N. Y.; N. B. Hazen, laces and white goods; 458 Broadway.
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Sears, Roebuck & Co., Chicago, Ill; T. F. Cavanaagh, dry goods; M. Ascher, dry goods; 438 Broadway; Hotel Broztell.
Edwards, E. W., & Son, Syracuse, N. Y.; D. M. Edwards, dry goods; Hotel Latham.
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BANKRUPTCY SALES.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of SALEM NAIL COMPANY, Bankrupt.—No. 11,448.

To the creditors of the above-named bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that the property belonging to the estate of the above-named bankrupt will be sold under the direction of Addison S. Pratt, Trustee, at public auction by Charles Shongood, auctioneer, at 113 Leonard Street, Manhattan, New York City, on the 7th day of December, 1909, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon.

A general description of said property is as follows:

Judgment against Alarene Spring Water Co. and George H. Proctor, 649 shares of Motor Rolling Chair Co., 800 shares of the common stock of the Improved Shafting Hanger Co., 200 shares of preferred stock of Improved Shafting Hanger Co., 10 shares of Empire Keystone Improvement Co., 80 shares of General Structural Materials Co., 60 shares of Standard Brick Machinery Co., 57 shares of New York Granite Brick Co., 100 shares of Amsterdam Gas & Oil Co., 500 shares of Galveston Oil & Gas Co., 20 shares of Kensington Iron Works Co., and a United States Patent No. 857,528; claim against Frederick S. Kriebel for $360, and a number of outstanding accounts.

The Trustee reserves the right to withdraw any of said property from sale unless it shall bring at least 75% of appraised value.

New York, November 24th, 1909.

NATHANIEL S. SMITH,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
EPSTEIN BROTHERS, Attorneys, Trustee,
320 Broadway, N. Y. City.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of SAMUEL WILLER, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that the trustee's right, title, and interest in and to the property belonging to the estate of the above-named bankrupt will be sold at public auction under direction of the trustee by Charles Shongood, United States Auctioneer, at his warehouse, No. 113 Leonard Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 17th day of December, 1909, at 10:30 A. M.

Property consists of two gold watches, small lot of jewelry, and silverware.

The trustee reserves the right to withdraw any of the said property unless it shall bring at least 75 per cent. of the appraised value.

Dated New York, December 7th, 1909.

WILLIAM ALLEN, Referee,
67 Wall St., New York City.
ROBERT G. PERRY, Trustee, No. 60 Wall St.,
New York City.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of MARTIN BURCKEL, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that the trustee's right, title, and interest in and to the property belonging to the estate of the above-named bankrupt will be sold at public auction under direction of the trustee by Charles Shongood, United States Auctioneer, at his warehouse, No. 113 Leonard Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 17th day of December, 1909, at 10:30 A. M.

Property consists of a miscellaneous lot of wines, whiskies, liquors, &c., bottled and in barrels.

The trustee reserves the right to withdraw any of the said property unless it shall bring at least 75 per cent. of the appraised value.

Dated New York, December 7th, 1909.

WILLIAM ALLEN, Referee,
67 Wall St., New York City.
ROBERT G. PERRY, Trustee, No. 60 Wall St.,
New York City.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of VALLEY DEW DISTILLING COMPANY, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that the trustee's right, title, and interest in and to the property belonging to the estate of the above-named bankrupt will be sold at public auction under direction of the trustee by Charles Shongood, United States Auctioneer, at his warehouse, No. 113 Leonard Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 17th day of December, 1909, at 10:30 A. M.

Property consists of whiskey, bottled and in barrels, warehouse certificates, one gold watch, &c.

The trustee reserves the right to withdraw any of the said property unless it shall bring at least 75 per cent. of the appraised value.

Dated New York, December 7th, 1909.

STANLEY W. DEXTER, Referee,
71 Broadway, New York City.
ROBERT G. PERRY, Trustee, No. 60 Wall St.,
New York City.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of I. GOLDMAN & CO., Bankrupts.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Tuesday, December 7th, 1909, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 113-115 Leonard St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupts, consisting of furs, skins, fur machine, fixtures, &c. FRANCIS W. BIRD, Receiver.
SAMUEL S. BRESLIN, Attorney for Receiver,
320 Broadway, New York.

MASTER'S SALES.

Sale of Railroad and Property of the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company.

UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK and JOHN A. STEWART, as Trustees, Complainants, vs. CHICAGO TERMINAL TRANSFER RAILROAD COMPANY et al., Defendants.—In the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division.—In Equity.—No. 28,130.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a decree of foreclosure and sale entered by the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, in the above-entitled cause, on the 20th day of February, 1907, and amendments thereto on June 5, 1907, and July 15, 1908, respectively, and orders of court entered subsequent thereto, and pursuant to an ancillary decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Indiana, entered on the 23d day of February, 1907, in a cause wherein the United States Trust Company of New York and John A. Stewart, as Trustees, were complainants, and the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company, and others, were defendants, I, Henry W. Wales, the Special Master in Chancery named in said decrees, in the exercise of the powers and duties therein conferred upon me, will offer for sale by public auction at the east main entrance on Fifth Avenue of the Grand Central Passenger Station, situate at the southwest corner of Fifth Avenue and Harrison Street, Chicago, Illinois, upon the premises so to be sold, at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon on the 6th day of January, 1910, to the highest bidder or bidders, all the railroads, Grand Central Passenger Station, terminals, yards, equipment, franchises, contracts, leases, and property of the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company by said decrees directed to be sold, which are fully described in said decrees, amendments thereto, orders and proceedings, to which reference is hereby made for a more particular description thereof, and which are briefly described as follows:

All those certain railroads of the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company extending from a point at or near Harrison Street, in the City of Chicago, and between Fifth Avenue and the south branch of the Chicago River; thence southerly across said south branch of the Chicago River, between Taylor Street and Twelfth Street, in the City of Chicago; thence southerly and westerly, across Stewart Avenue near Meagher Street, in the City of Chicago; thence westerly to and across Western Avenue, in the City of Chicago, near Fourteenth Street; thence westerly and northerly across Washtenaw Avenue, in the City of Chicago, near West Taylor Street; thence westerly and northerly to Madison Street, in Section 13, Township 39 north, Range 12, east of the Third Principal Meridian, in the Village of Harlem, County of Cook, Illinois, with a branch railroad therefrom leaving said last-described railroad at a point near the intersection of Western Avenue and Fourteenth Street; thence south and southerly to the City of Blue Island, in said Cook County, and from a point known as Harvey Junction, on the Chicago and Calumet Terminal Division of said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad, south and southerly to and through the City of Chicago Heights, and to the east and west center line of Section 28, Township 35 north, Range 14, east of the Third Principal Meridian, Cook County, Illinois including the Thornton spur so called, which last described railroad, or branch railroad, is known as the Chicago Central Division of said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad; also the Chicago and South Western Division of said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad, being a branch line of railroad leaving said first-mentioned railroad at a point near South Forty-sixth Avenue, in the City of Chicago, thence westerly and southerly to West Sixteenth Street, and thence westerly to Harlem Avenue, and thence northerly to a connection with said first-mentioned railroad, near Harlem Avenue, including the Race Track spur, so called; together with the interest of said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company in the Beach Street track, so called, being a railroad track owned jointly by said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company, the Pennsylvania Company, and the Chicago and Alton Railroad Company, and extending along Beach Street, in the City of Chicago, from a point near Twelfth Street to a point near Polk Street; together with all the right, title, and interest of the said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company in the Chicago, Harlem and Batavia Railroad, so called, being a railroad which formerly extended from a point on said first-described railroad near South Fortieth or Crawford Avenue; thence northerly to a point near the intersection of Randolph Street and South Fortieth Avenue, thence westerly to a point near Des Plaines Avenue, and thence southerly to the Concordia Cemetery, and thence easterly to Desplaines Avenue; also the Chicago and Calumet Terminal Division of said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad, being a railroad extending from Pine Junction, on the line of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway, in Lake County, in the State of Indiana; thence west through the Cities of East Chicago and Hammond, in said Lake County, and thence westerly through the City of Blue Island, and thence westerly and northerly to a point near the channel or canal of the Sanitary District of Chicago, near McCook, in said Cook County, in the State of Illinois, with a leasehold interest in all trackage rights from the Chicago Junction Railway Company, from said point near McCook to Franklin Park, in said Cook County, with a branch therefrom from the City of East Chicago, in said Lake County, in the State of Indiana, north and northerly to Whiting, in said Lake County, which leasehold interest is set forth in a certain agreement dated the fifth day of October, A. D. 1896, entered into by and between the Chicago and Calumet Terminal Railway Company and the Chicago, Hammond and Western Railroad Company, which agreement is referred to and described in the petition of the Receiver herein filed in this cause on the twenty-ninth day of January, A. D. 1907; together with trackage rights or leasehold in the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, from said Whiting to South Chicago, and certain other trackage rights from the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad, in said South Chicago, and a leasehold interest in the Lyons and Chicago Railroad, so called, being a railroad extending easterly from said Chicago and Calumet Terminal Division at a point near McCook to and into the Chicago Crushed Stone Company's property; together with the Mayfair Extension, so called, being a railroad extending from said Franklin Park northerly and easterly to Mayfair, in the City of Chicago, in said Cook County, at a point near the intersection of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and the Chicago and North Western Railway.

MASTER'S SALES.

Also all the land of the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company in said City of Chicago east of the south branch of the Chicago River and south of Harrison Street and west of Fifth Avenue, and same extended southerly, and the Grand Central Passenger Station, and the freight houses, express buildings, tracks, and other improvements situated thereon.

Also all those properties known as the Empire Slip yard, the Twelfth Street yard, the Meagher Street yard, the Morgan Street yard, the Robey Street yard, the Homan Avenue yard, the Tracey Avenue yard, and the land adjoining thereto known as the Morris tract, the Barr yard, the yard at Whiting, Indiana, and the south 300 acres of Section 19, and the east half of the northeast quarter of Section 30, Township 39 north, Range 13, east of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois, known as the Sturges tract, and all freight houses, engine houses, tracks, and other improvements upon the premises above mentioned.

Also all branches, spurs, industrial tracks, sidetracks, teamtracks, and other appurtenant tracks adjacent to each of said described lines of railroad, and all depot grounds, freight yards, rights of way, interlocking plants, switches, tracks, bridges, engine houses, freight houses, elevators, shops, machinery, and other property owned or acquired by said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company or by John N. Faithorn, its receiver.

Also all other railroads, parcels of land, rights of way, property and easements acquired and now owned by said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company or by John N. Faithorn, its receiver, situated in Cook County, Illinois, and Lake County, Indiana, and not specifically described herein, except those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, or any of them, described in and conveyed by a certain deed of conveyance dated as of the 26th day of October, 1898, and recorded in the Recorder's Office of Cook County, Illinois, on the 14th day of March, 1905, in Book 8968 of Records on Page 278, wherein the Chicago Title and Trust Company was and is Grantor and the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company was and is Grantee.

Also all locomotives, tenders, cars and other rolling stock, equipment, supplies, machinery, tools and implements owned or acquired by said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company or by John N. Faithorn, its receiver.

Also all choses in action, bills receivable and monies owned, possessed or held by said Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company or said receiver.

Also all right, title and interest of the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company in and to Five Million Dollars ($5,000,000) or substantially Five Million Dollars, of the capital stock of the Chicago and Calumet Terminal Railway Company, and Six Million Dollars ($6,000,000) of the First Mortgage bonds of the said Chicago and Calumet Terminal Railway Company, and also Five Thousand shares of $100 each of the Hammond and Lake Michigan Railway Company, and Five Thousand shares of $100 each of the Calumet River Railway Company.

Also all franchises, ordinances, licenses, permits, easements, leases, contracts and agreements belonging to or pertaining to or connected with said lines of railway or the business thereof.

Such sale shall be subject to a certain mortgage given by the Chicago and Great Western Railroad Company to John A. Stewart and Edwin H. Abbott, Trustees, dated May 1st, 1886, securing $394,000 of bonds, which are still outstanding, and to a certain mortgage to the City of Chicago dated March 21st, 1888, securing $650,000, which mortgages cover a part of the property to be sold.

Such sale shall be subject to the several contracts, agreements and leases described in said decree, and the amendments thereto, with the right to the purchaser to elect whether or not to assume or adopt certain other leases and contracts as provided in said decree.

Such sale shall be subject to all contracts and agreements made under order of court by the Receiver, and all unsatisfied liabilities incurred by the Receiver in the management of the property, including all such liabilities as shall be incurred by the Receiver in such management while the property shall remain in his possession and such certificates of indebtedness as have been issued and sold by the Receiver.

Said railroads, franchises and property will be sold as an entirety in one lot or parcel and upon the following terms and conditions:

Four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($400,000) shall be paid in cash to the said Special Master by an approved bidder at the time of the sale, and the remainder of the purchase price thereof upon the confirmation by the Court of such sale, either in cash or in a certified check upon or a certificate of deposit of a bank or trust company satisfactory to the Special Master or in the first mortgage bonds of the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railroad Company issued under the mortgage dated June 11, 1897, to the United States Trust Company of New York and John A. Stewart as trustees, and the coupons appertaining thereto, including interest upon the unpaid coupons from the respective dates of maturity thereof; the said bonds and coupons if such sale be for less than the amount due on said bonds to be taken as equivalent to so much in cash of the said purchase money as would be distributable and payable thereon. No bid for such railroads, franchises and property shall be accepted for a sum less than Fifteen Million, One Hundred and Forty Thousand Dollars ($15,140,000) nor will any bid be considered unless accompanied by the deposit of said sum of $400,000 in cash or in a certified check upon a bank or trust company satisfactory to the Special Master.

If such sale be not confirmed, the amount so paid to the said Master at the time thereof shall be returned; but if such sale be confirmed and the purchaser refuse to complete his purchase, the amount so paid by him at the time of such sale shall be forfeited.

The undersigned as Special Master, for reasons by the undersigned deemed adequate, may adjourn said sale from time to time and may with or without notice, except on oral proclamation made when the sale is adjourned, proceed with such sale on any subsequent date to which the undersigned may have adjourned the same.

For a more specific description of the property to be sold, the liens and obligations to be assumed by the purchaser, and the terms and conditions of sale, and the rights of the purchaser thereunder, reference is hereby made to the above mentioned decrees and orders and proceedings in said cause.

Dated: November 15th, 1909.

HENRY W. WALES,
Special Master.

NOTICE OF SALE.

McCALL FERRY POWER COMPANY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a decree of foreclosure and sale made by the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania on the 12th day of October, 1909, in a certain cause in equity between Knickerbocker Trust Company, Complainant, and McCall Ferry Power Company, Defendant, and decrees made in causes between the same parties by the Circuit Court of the United States for the Southern District of New York on the 15th day of October, 1909, and by the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Maryland on the 20th day of October, 1909, the undersigned, Henry P. Brown, Special Master, will sell at public auction at the front door of the County Court House, in the City of Lancaster, in the County of Lancaster, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, the 7th day of December, 1909, at 12 o'clock M., all the property, both real and personal, described in the decree first above mentioned as owned by the McCall Ferry Power Company, including the dam, power house and hydraulic development in general of the McCall Ferry Power Company on the Susquehanna River, near McCall Ferry, in the Counties of Lancaster and York, Pennsylvania, with all the lands, water rights, rights to flow lands, structures, machinery, appliances, equipment and tools connected therewith or appurtenant thereto, and all shares of stock of any incorporated company, all promissory notes, bonds and obligations, all debts, claims and demands owing to McCall Ferry Power Company, whether now due or hereafter to become due, all choses in possession and action, absolute or upon condition, vested or contingent, and all other property, real or personal, owned by the McCall Ferry Power Company, wheresoever the same may be situated. For a more particular description of the property to be sold reference is made to the said decrees.

Pursuant to the terms of said decrees no bid will be accepted by the Special Master at such sale until the bidder shall deposit with him, in money or by certified check upon some responsible bank, the sum of $10,000, and shall further deposit with him either the sum of $100,000 (in money or by certified check upon some responsible bank), or $200,000 in principal amount of bonds of the McCall Ferry Power Company secured by the mortgage described in said decrees. After the sale shall be made by the Special Master in pursuance of this decree, he is required to report the same for confirmation. If any bid shall be accepted, and the person or persons making the same shall fail to comply with all the conditions of the sale and all orders which may be made in respect thereto, then the sums so deposited shall be forfeited and shall be applied to the expenses of resale or to costs, or to the payment of the bonds described in said decrees, as shall be ordered; but in case such bid shall be rejected, the deposit made by the bidder shall be returned to him. Such further portions of the purchase price shall be paid in money as said Courts shall from time to time direct, in order to meet the expenses of sale, and costs and allowances and claims which said Courts may adjudge to be prior in equity to the mortgage or deed of trust mentioned in said decrees, the right being reserved to resell the mortgaged property, rights and franchises upon the failure upon the part of the purchaser to comply within twenty days, with any order in that regard, and the balance of such purchase price shall be paid in money, or in bonds of the McCall Ferry Power Company secured by the mortgage described in said decrees, and the unpaid interest coupons thereof, at such price or value as the holders thereof would have been entitled to receive upon the distribution of the proceeds of said sale in case the entire amount had been paid in money. If registered bonds be used in payment, as aforesaid, they shall be endorsed and assigned in blank by the registered owner thereof.

For particulars other than those herein stated, reference is made to said decrees.

Dated October 22, 1909.

HENRY P. BROWN, Special Master,
Land Title Building, Philadelphia, Pa.
JOHN G. JOHNSON, Land Title Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.
DAVIES, STONE & AUERBACH, 32 Nassau
Street, New York City, N. Y.,
Solicitors for Complainant.

Lost.

20c. a line 1 time; 3 times 18c. a line a day; 7 times 15c. a line a day.

LOST—$200 REWARD and no questions asked for return of several diamond rings, solitaires, and a large diamond shirt stud; lost on Sunday in vicinity of [illegible] Washington Av., Bronx. B. Siegal, [illegible] Washington Av.

LOST—ABOUT LAST TUESDAY, EMERALD AND DIAMOND BRACELET, PLATINUM SETTING; LIBERAL REWARD. MRS. J. LEDLIE HEES, 247 5TH AV.

LOST—On Dec. 6, on 4th Av. car, lady's shopping bag, containing a small sum of money, lorgnette, and other articles; finder please return Dr. Burke, 147 Lexington Av., and receive reward.

LOST—Pocketbook on Long Island train on Sunday, containing money and papers of no value except to owner; finder will receive reward in addition to money in pocketbook upon returning to Room 62, 20 Nassau St., New York.

LOST—On Dec. 5, between West 85th St. and Grand Central Station, gold mesh bag, engraved "Mrs. Edward S. Levy"; liberal reward for its return to No. 68 West 85th St.

LOST—Sunday evening, between Times Square Hotel and Plaza Music Hall, lady's gold watch, diamond in case, on gold pin. Return Times Square Hotel; liberal reward.

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LOST—$250 reward for return of string of 95 pearls lost on 5th Av. near 48th St. Dec. 4; no questions asked. 37 Madison Av.

LOST—On Nov. 29, between 31st St. and Grand Central Station, gold bag; $150 reward and no questions asked. Apply J. J. Smart, Hotel Wolcott, 4 West 31st St.

LOST—Tuesday, a pearl sunburst, with small diamond centre, in Abraham & Straus's, Brooklyn, or via Subway to Columbus Av., 80th; reward. 104 West 80th.

LOST—Brown fur neck piece, between 6th and 7th Avs., on 44th St., Saturday night; liberal reward if returned to Mrs. H. L. Dunlap, 208 West 54th St.

LOST.—Open-faced gold watch with fob, medallion, Mercury foot attached; initials "G. H. D." Reward if returned Room 65, 127 Duane St.

LOST—Wednesday evening, Dec. 1, between 267 West 90th St. and Carnegie Hall, pearl heart with diamonds; liberal reward. 267 West 90th St.

LOST—On Sunday, between 29th St. and 5th Av. to 40th St. and Lexington Av., a Trinity class book; reward. Please return to 357 Lexington Av.

LOST—Small brooch, topaz, surrounded with pearls. $50 reward for return to C. H. Warren, 84 Nassau St., N. Y., or Lawrence Park.

FOUND—Mileage book, American Theatre, Sunday night; owner may have same by identification. Box P 168 Times, Times Square.

LOST—From baby carriage before noon Saturday, white bear rug; finder return to Mrs. Deveroaux, 610 West 113th St.; reward.

LOST—Cardcase, containing cards without address, Queensboro Bridge. Suitable reward if returned to H. G. de Meli, 22 William St.

LOST OR STOLEN—Bank book No. 231142 of Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank; payment stopped; please return to bank, 51 Chambers St.

LOST—Dark green wallet, gold corners, containing papers, money, owner's cards; large reward. Return to John Heath, 499 5th Av.

LOST—Special deposit book No. 3326 of the Northern Bank of N. Y., 7th Av. branch; payment stopped. Kindly return to this branch.

LOST—Friday afternoon, round gold pin, blue enamel centre, surrounded pearls, small ring attached at top; reward. 55 West 82d St.

LOST—Black lynx muff on Saturday; liberal reward if returned to George F. C. Booss, 294 Fifth Av.

LOST—Silver bag, near Lenox Av., 113th St.; reward. Samose, 105 West 113th St.

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Lost and Found—Cats, Dogs

20c. a line 1 time; 3 times 18c. a line a day; 7 times 15c. a line a day.

LOST—Small black dog, answers to name of "Dixie"; reward. Mrs. Dean, 63 Morningside Av.

LOST—Nov. 23, Irish terrier, (red,) name "Bobs"; reward. Stiles, 462 East 7th St., Flatbush.

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Found.

20c. a line 1 time; 3 times 18c. a line a day; 7 times 15c. a line a day.

FOUND—Saturday night, on 42d St., chain silver purse, with name engraved inside. Owner may apply at the Cafe Beaux Arts, 80 West 40th St.

FOUND—American Theatre, Sunday, mileage book; owner can have same by identification. Address P 168 Times, Times Square.

FOUND, Dec. 6—POLICE DEPARTMENT. Inquire at the Detective Bureau, (Correspondence Room,) Centre and Grand Sts.: Roll of patent leather, marked Manhattan Auto Top Co.; black cocker spaniel dog, trunk containing man's underwear and bankbook No. 6047, automobile, license No. 29,566 N. Y.; man's gold watch, case No. 7025497; bay horse, long tail, short mane, left hind leg white, white star on forehead.

FOUND, Dec. 4-5—INTERBOROUGH R. T. CO. Apply 9 Morris St.: SECOND AV. ELEVATED—Bag, card case, books, gloves, photo, roll oilcloth, derby, razor set, shirt, shawl, rubber coat, vest, collar, and tie, carving knife, bottle. THIRD AV. ELEVATED—Cane, railroad ticket, breastpin, satchel, bag, purses, watch, books, music roll, gloves, brass check, key, belt, dry goods, coat, shirt, cushion, apron, neckpiece, music stand, wrench, razor. SIXTH AV. ELEVATED—Cap, card case, books, collar and tie, neckpiece, trousers, papers, bag, overalls, suit clothes, glasses, nosepiece, specs, overalls, caps, music, collars, cards, &c.; matches, breastpin, beads, gloves, socks, jacket, cigars, package bedding. NINTH AV. ELEVATED—Hair nets, handles, mitten, gloves, overalls. SUBWAY—watch, silk, boxes caps, patterns, needlework, writing paper, papers, magazines, muff, money, books, gloves, boa, pin, shoe, locket, gloves, oil, umbrella, whiskey, glasses, pin, 2 pocketbooks, card case, knife, 2 plates, paint box, purse, music box, keys.

FOUND—NEW ENGLAND NAVIGATION CO. S. S. PROVIDENCE: Coat hanger, receipt, bundle, waist. S. S. PLYMOUTH: Nightshirt, gloves, lady's comb, black gown, shaving brush.

FOUND, Dec. 6—LONG ISLAND R. R. Apply Lost Property Bureau, Long Island City: Package.

FOUND, Dec. 6—ERIE R. R. Apply Information Desk, Jersey City: 3 packages, 2 umbrellas, book, photograph.

FOUND, Dec. 6—D., L. & W. R. R. Apply Information Desk, Hoboken, N. J.: 8 packages, 2 umbrellas, stick pin, box, lady's muff, coat.

FOUND, Dec. 6—PENNSYLVANIA R. R. Apply to Baggagemaster, Jersey City: Tooth powder, spoons, scarf pin, muffler, paper cutter, book, umbrella, suit pajamas, comb and brush, kodak, muff, comb, toilet case, pair gloves, penknife, pair glasses, lady's coat, Bible. JERSEY CITY STATION: Lady's hat, 3 collars.

FOUND, Dec. 6—N. Y. CENTRAL R. R. Apply Lost Article Office, Grand Central Station: Umbrella, package.

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PERSONAL.

FOR ADOPTION.—An attractive, bright, manly little boy, five years old; New England parentage. F. D., Box 68 Times, Times Square.

Furnished Rooms Wanted.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

LARGE, comfortably furnished room wanted by young man; one with southern exposure preferred. Box P 55 Times, Times Square.

Unfurnished Rooms Wanted.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

YOUNG MAN wants unfurnished room with private family. Box P 56 Times, Times Sq.

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Help Wanted—Females.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

ABRAHAM & STRAUS,

FULTON STREET, BROOKLYN,

Require intelligent saleswomen, with or without department store experience, for the following departments: BOOKS, JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, TOYS, LINENS, HOSIERY, UMBRELLAS, LEATHER GOODS, TOILET ARTICLES, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, STATIONERY, INFANTS' WEAR, GLOVES, GENTS' FURNISHINGS, SHOES, RIBBONS, PICTURES, CANDY, ART EMBROIDERY, VEILINGS, CHINA, HOUSEFURNISHINGS, SODA, ORIENTAL, CUT GLASS, BRIC-A-BRAC, LAMPS, NECKWEAR, FLANNELS.

Apply during the week, by mail or in person, to General Superintendent.

ALSO

DRESSMAKING DEPARTMENT.—Require experienced waist trimmers and helpers in their Special Order Dressmaking Department. Apply to Manager of Workroom, fifth floor.

ALSO

PARCEL WRAPPERS.—Require a number of bright girls over 16 years of age as parcel wrappers. Apply to Superintendent of Wrapping, Subway Floor.

ADDRESSING.—Wanted girls for addressing, (Underwood typewriter;) salary, $5 per week. Address Manufacturer, P. O. Box 645 New York City.

CASHIERS.
R. H. MACY & CO.
require cashiers; permanent positions to those who are competent. Apply at Auditor's office, seventh floor.

CHOCOLATE and BONBON DIPPERS wanted; experienced. Henry Heide, Hudson and Vandam Sts.

COMPANION.—Wanted by a young lady and her daughter a young lady as companion; must be musical and accomplished and familiar with the Emmanuel movement or mental science. Address, stating age, references, and full particulars, Mrs. R. W., Box 14, 1,552 Broadway.

EASY MONEY for your spare time. Matthew Donovan Co., 1,441 Broadway.

GIRL for general housework; family of two; references required. 620 West 116th St., Apartment 51.

HOUSEWORKER.—A competent woman to do most of the housework, without washing, in a quiet family of two adults; no objection to middle age if capable; the position will be permanent if the service is satisfactory. Mrs. T., 31 Gates Av., Montclair, N. J.

HOUSEWORKER.—By family of two, in apartment, a respectable young woman as skilled houseworker; must be good plain cook; wages $30. Address, with references, E. H. C., 163 Times, Times Square.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, white girl for general housework in small family apartment; must be good cook and laundress; good wages; personal references required; call in morning. Hatzfeld, 438 West 116th St.

HOUSEWORKER.—Neat girl, white or colored; plain cook; no washing or heavy work; short distance in the country; wages, $22-$25. B. Saubiac & Son, 16 West 32d St.

MANICURING.—Learners wanted; hairdressing, facial, scalp treatment; best instructions, day, evenings. 161 West 23d St.

OPERATORS, EXPERIENCED ON SILK WAISTS; GOOD PAY. JOS. WEISMAN, 26 WAVERLEY PLACE.

OPERATORS, TUCKERS AND PRESSERS
wanted on ladies' waists. Apply Felsenthal Bros., 104-108 West 27th St.

SAKS & COMPANY,
Broadway at 34th Street,
REQUIRE THE SERVICES OF

PARCEL WRAPPERS

Over 16 years of age.

ALSO A NUMBER OF

CASH GIRLS

Betwen the ages of 14 and 16.
Apply with Health Certificate.

SAKS & COMPANY,
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For the following Depts.:

JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,
WOMEN'S NECKWEAR,
HANDKERCHIEFS AND
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SIEGEL COOPER COMPANY REQUIRE SALESWOMEN FOR POSITIONS THAT WILL BE PERMANENT PROVIDED THE APPLICANTS PROVE TO BE CAPABLE AND SATISFACTORY; AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO CONTINUE WITH US AFTER THE HOLIDAYS IN THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS:

JEWELRY,
LEATHER GOODS,
TOYS,
BOOKS,
STATIONERY,
MEN'S FURNISHINGS,
HANDKERCHIEFS,
GLOVES,
PICTURES,
UMBRELLAS.
APPLY AT SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

TRANSCRIBER.—Wanted, girl 16 or 17 years of age, to transcribe matter in long hand; must write small, neat, regular hand, suitable for books. Address O 121 Times Downtown.

YOUNG WOMEN, between 17 and 23 years of age, to learn telephone operating for Central Office positions; for those who qualify salary of $5 a week paid while learning. Apply after 9 A. M. to Application Department, New York Telephone Co., 58 W. Houston St., cor. Wooster St.

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BOOKKEEPER.—Experienced for dry goods commission house, ledger work; state experience and salary wanted. O 122 Times Downtown.

BOY.—Christian for office work; must write plain hand. C. E. H., Box 33 New York Produce Exchange.

WANTED—Boy in downtown office. Address by letter only, "Energetic," 263 West 125th.

BRIGHT young man, 17 to 20 years old, as assistant bookkeeper and bill clerk; salary $8 to start; good future; state experience. Address "C. B.," 488 Times, Times Square.

"BROAD GAUGED MEN" wanted to sell bonds; leads furnished; men who are making good where now employed will have a golden future with us. Interstate Land and Building Co-operative Association, 261 Broadway, New York City.

COLORED MAN to clean saloon five hours daily. O 120 Times Downtown.

DRAUGHTSMAN.—First class, for ornamental iron work. Call Uris Iron Works, 525 West 26th St.

ENGRAVERS.
R. H. Macy & Co. require engravers on gold and silver. Only first-class men need apply. Apply at office of General Manager.

MAN in store, salary, $12; references required; no Sunday work. Howe Baking Co., 3,355 3d Av.

MAN, intelligent, to take charge of office; must have $400 cash security. Bzolba Co., 320 Broadway.

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wanted on ladies' waists. Apply Felsenthal Bros., 104-108 West 27th St.

PLATER.—First-class plater wanted. 435 South 5th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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SAKS & COMPANY,
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DIAMONDS AND WATCHES.

SWITCHMEN WANTED — EXPERIENCED STEAM RAILROAD MEN FOR OUT OF TOWN TO TAKE PLACE MEN ON STRIKE; ONLY FIRST-CLASS MEN ACCEPTED; STANDARD WAGES. APPLY 129 CEDAR ST., ONE FLIGHT UP.

WANTED—Six high-class specialty salesmen. Call 83 Chambers St. before 10 A. M. Thursday. New York Talking Machine Co.

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AGENTS, decorators, peddlers, and stores, we are the lowest price house for paper Christmas decorations, bells, wreaths, garlands, pennants, streamers, and hundreds fast selling novelties; write for catalogue. Holiday Novelty Co., 87 Great Jones St.

AGENTS.—Mail order men, big money in post cards; buy direct from manufacturer; get manufacturer's prices. Peerless Supply Co., 14 and 16 Church St.

Help Wanted—Employment Bureaus.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

Commercial Help.

BOOKKEEPERS, stenographers, office help, male, female, furnished free. 4470 Murray Hill. Universal Exchange, 110 West 34th St.

SECRETARIES, STENOGRAPHERS.—Jupp's bureau recommends efficient employes only; prompt, free; references investigated; expert facsimile duplicating. 87 Nassau St. Tel. 4221 Cortlandt.

STENOGRAPHERS.—When in need of stenographers, typewriters, bookkeepers, or office assistants for permanent or temporary positions write or telephone Miss S. M. Gahagan, 233 Broadway. Tel. 7035 Barclay.

STENOGRAPHERS, bookkeepers, office assistants furnished short notice without charge. 'Phone 5712 Braclay. Lamb's Exchange, 229 Broadway.

STENOGRAPHERS.—Double entry bookkeeper wanted; salary $10-$16; permanent position; beginning $7. Miss Elsie Diehl, 97 Nassau St., Tel 6060—Cort.

STENOGRAPHERS, BOOKKEEPERS, competent office assistants wanted, male and female. Universal Exchange, 110 West 34th St.

Domestic Help.

A.—A.—COLONIAL BUREAU, 60 West 39th St.—Strictly reliable domestic help; specialties: governesses, lady's maids; references thoroughly investigated. Telephone 5582—Murray Hill.

FOR SELECT COLORED HELP apply Duncan Help Exchange, 134 West 134th St. 'Phone 5078 Morning.

Jussila Employment Bureau, 680 Lexington Av., New York. Telephone 4453 Plaza.—Swedish, Finnish, English, German, French cooks, butlers, parlormaids, chambermaids, ladies' maids, kitchenmaids, laundresses, waitresses, servants, private families.

LIND'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 729 Lexington Av.—Reliable servants; all nationalities; references investigated; 'phone 4696—Plaza.

MARIE NIELSON SWEDISH EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 570 Lexington Av., furnishes first-class cooks, waitresses, chambermaids, kitchen maids, laundresses; references thoroughly investigated. Tel. 3679—Plaza.

RELIABLE Hungarian, German, Polish help; references investigated. Roth's, 170 East 3d St. Telephone 2508 Orchard.

RELIABLE SERVANTS, all kinds. Mrs. Neilson, 503 5th Av., Room 300; 42d St. entrance.

THE STERLING EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 208 West 40th.—Select colored or white chambermaids, waitresses, general houseworkers; waiters, porters, bartenders, cooks, bellboys, elevator men can be immediately supplied. Telephone 4176—Bryant.

TRAINED and PRACTICAL NURSES, well recommended. Powell Bureau, 1,235 Lexington Av. Telephone 1210 Lenox.

YORKVILLE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 1,235 Lexington Av.—Wanted, Scandinavian, German cooks, waitresses, houseworkers; 'phone 1210 Lenox.

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Situations Wanted—Employment Bureaus.

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A.—SAMPSON & NELSON Employment Bureau, 412 4th Av.—First-class help, all nationalities, for private families; references investigated. Telephone 1868 Madison Square.

A.—A.—"PRACTICAL NURSES." Trained nurses, male, female; nurse-companions and housekeepers; $25 to $75 month. MRS. PILLSBURY, 507 Fifth Av. Murray Hill 6185.

BLOOM'S BUREAU, established ten years, furnishes Scandinavian help. 4887 Plaza; 747 Lexington Av., (59th.)

BOOKKEEPERS.—Employers seeking competent bookkeepers or assistants call on us. Mercantile Audit Co., Employment Agency Department, 280 Broadway. Tel. 2471—Worth.

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HASTINGS' BUREAU.—Colored girls placed; references promptly investigated. 225 East 73d St. 'Phone 6551 Lenox.

HOUSEWORKERS—Several neat colored girls, experienced, with good references, want places in small families; other good Southern help furnished. Lincoln Industrial Exchange, 314 West 59th. Tel. 4786 Columbus.

HOUSEWORKER.—Middle-aged woman; good baker; wages not so much as permanent position; personal references; city, country. Mrs. Cooper, 657 6th Av., 38th St.

HOUSEWORKERS, COOKS, laundresses, waitresses; city, country. Flaherty's Bureau, 485 Columbus Av. Telephone—741 River.

HOUSEWORKERS, laundresses, cooks, chambermaids, waitresses, useful men. Henderson's Agency, 110 West 134th St. Tel. 486 Morningside.

KEMPER, 615 Columbus Av.—Competent cooks, chambermaids, waitresses, houseworkers, nurses; references investigated. Riverside 9348.

Situations Wanted--Females.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

BOOKKEEPER, STENOGRAPHER.—Accurate, conscientious, thorough; several years' experience; good typist; best references; $15. Efficient, P 66 Times, Times Square.

CHILD'S NURSE or MAID.—Experienced girl wishes position as child's nurse or maid to elderly lady; good references; wages $25 to $30. K. D., 1,552 Broadway.

COLORED GIRL wants home; pay own fare. Write Mary, 120 North 8th St., Richmond, Va.

COOK.—Competent cook, all kinds of cooking; go anywhere; references. 1,013 Park Av., Swedish advertiser.

COOK.—Competent, desires position city or country. 249 East 53d St., Hughes.

DRESSMAKER, DESIGNER.—Artistic, French, wishes work by day in first-class families; evening gowns. Mlle. Marguerite, 326 West 55th St. Phone 2097—Columbus.

DRESSMAKER.—A competent dressmaker, good fitter, out by day. Dovey, 14 West 102d St., last bell.

DRESSMAKER.—Wishes sewing in private families; will work reasonably. A. C., 208 East 48th St.

DRESSMAKER by the day; remodeling and new goods; reference. P 153 Times, Times Square.

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Rates $16 to $20 per week, including board for two.
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81ST ST., 138 WEST.—Large, small, well furnished, comfortable rooms; desirable; convenient location; Jewish house.

82D ST., 8 WEST.—Finest cuisine; medium-sized, spotlessly kept room; beautiful surroundings; refinement; reasonable.

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91ST ST., 29 WEST.—Large room; private bath; desirable two; hall room; table guests; telephone.

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Elevator service day and night.
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64TH ST., 119 WEST.—Exceptionally pleasant, warm, homelike room; attractively furnished; all improvements; central; moderate.

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68TH ST., 38 WEST.—Private house; gentlemen only; dainty, comfortable rooms; exceptional attendance; breakfast; references.

69TH ST., 104 WEST.—Handsome, large room; running water, bath; first floor; telephone; meals optional.

69TH, 145 WEST.—Handsomely furnished parlor, bedroom; first-class apartment; all conveniences; corner Broadway.

71ST ST., 68 WEST.—Furnished rooms for gentlemen only.

76TH ST., 125 WEST.—Handsomely furnished warm rooms, refined house and neighborhood; breakfast optional; telephone.

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West Side.

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82D ST., 148 WEST.—Large, well-furnished front room, running water; first-class house; telephone.

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82D ST., 129 WEST.—Large furnished room, suitable for one or two gentlemen.

83D ST., 56 WEST.—Delightful large room; bath adjoining; suitable one or two; private house.

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83D ST., 106 WEST.—Large parlor, also single and small room, heated. Butler.

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84TH ST., 16 WEST.—Attractive rooms, well heated; all conveniences; parlor dining room; telephone; reasonable.

85TH ST., 326 EAST.—Elegant front and back parlor, heated; bath; $3 for two. Grunwald.

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88TH ST., (570 West End Av.)—Private house, beautifully furnished rooms; bath; terms moderate. Telephone 7996 River.

91ST ST., 21 WEST.—Lovely, warm, newly furnished rooms; all conveniences; select, convenient locality; telephone.

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95TH ST., 59 WEST.—In house just leased, newly decorated furnished rooms; alcove room, dressing room, southern exposure, $7; smaller room, $2.50.

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East Side.

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124TH ST., 325-331 EAST.—Neatly furnished front housekeeping rooms; running water; children.

LEXINGTON AV., 1,018.—Newly furnished rooms, housekeeping suite; telephone, steam heat, electricity; $5-$12

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For Sale.—Tobacco, fruit, confectionery store, with its fixtures and stock; central; bargain price for cash; owner must leave before Christmas for South; no letters answered. 40½ W. Main St., Meriden, Conn.

$3,000 buys old established, clean, light, pleasant business, where experience is unnecessary, that has always paid owner $2,000. Can be had on easy terms if sold immediately. Inquire STANDARD, 47 Ann St.

I have option on a block of stock in a manufacturing corporation having a monopoly of a staple article; will pay 10 per cent. on investment first year; much more thereafter; security undoubted. Principals only address P 172 Times, Times Square.

Having had a continuous residence in this city of 40 years, during which time I have had a practical manufacturing and business experience, I am open for an engagement; references satisfactory. Box O 118 Times Downtown.

Electrician must sell business or half the business; best location in city; will give good reason for selling. Stanley & Ruth, 57 East 59th St.

I will sell my entire suburban estate, consisting of dwellings and building lots, to any responsible person upon a small cash payment. Henry Raab, 203 East 15th St.

Antiques, books, pianos, entire or part contents houses, hotels, apartments bought; also jewelry, furs, ladies' and gentlemen's wardrobes. Barnes, 88 University Place, 560 Stuyvesant.

Commercial photographs taken of anything; the best for the least. Telephone 6525 Cort. Standard Photo Illustrating Co., 22 Maiden Lane.

First-class hand laundry, competent all details, family washing. E. Nehls, 161 West 83d St.; private house. Phone 7322 Riverside.

ADVERTISING everywhere, newspapers, magazines; classified lists, 25 words, 25 dailies, $10. DICKINSON AGENCY, 108 Fulton.

Partner wanted to assist in conducting profitable cleaning and dyeing business. New Idea Cleaning Co., Room 549, 47 West 34th St.

Your business sold quickly and for cash by consulting People's Investment Co., 45 Cedar St., Suite 602, Mutual Life Building.

Experimental work of every description; consulting, drawings, electrical, shop, benchroom. F. Alexander, 129 Fulton St.

Hair-dressing, manicure parlor for sale; Broadway location; price, $700; principals only. Jackson, 122 West 135th St.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, Department, New York City, Twenty-sixth Street and First Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the President of the Board of Trustees in the Staff Room of Bellevue Hospital (entrance No. 411 East Twenty-sixth Street), until 3 P. M. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1909.

For supplies for the year 1910, as follows:

No. 1. Meat, fish, milk and poultry.

No. 2. Alcohol, plaster, cotton (absorbent), hospital gauze and lint (absorbent).

No. 3. Canned and bottled goods, bread, ice, butter, eggs, groceries, vegetables, fruits, provisions, soaps, hay and oats, etc., crockery, glassware, hardware, plated ware, granite ware, muslins and dry goods, rubber goods, uniforms, harness, electric lamps, miscellaneous, etc.

No. 4. Engineer's supplies, lumber, paints, glass and oils.

For full particulars see City Record.

JOHN W. BRANNAN,
President of the Board of Trustees,
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.
Dated November 30, 1909.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1909.

For blankets.

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JOHN W. BRANNAN,
President of the Board of Trustees,
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.
Dated December 1, 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1909.

For the completion of the sub-structure, the erection of the superstructure, and the installation of plant, exclusive of interior finish, of the Municipal Building.

For full particulars see City Record.

J. W. STEVENSON, Commissioner.
Dated December 1, 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for obtaining a supply of oils and grease, (Contract 1,208,) and for obtaining services of horses and drivers for carting coal and ashes to and from Municipal Ferryboats, (Contract 1,203,) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon December 10, 1909. (For particulars see City Record.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing and delivering lumber and piles (Contract No. 1,206) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, North River, until 12 o'clock noon December 17, 1909.

(For particulars see City Record.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for building pier at 33d Street, Brooklyn, (Contract 1,202,) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon December 13, 1909. (For particulars see City Record.)

SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Margaret J. P. Graves, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, office of Robert Graves, No. 489 Fifth Avenue, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of January next.

Dated New York, the 12th day of June, 1909.

ROBERT GRAVES,
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Executors.

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To Advertisers

To insure insertion in the Christmas Number of The New York Times, next Sunday, advertisements should be in the Times Building not later than noon Friday, December 10th.

Last Sunday's Times contained 201 columns of high grade advertising.

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STILL ANOTHER SNEAD WILL FOUND

Two Women, One Elderly, Asked Strange Store Clerks to Witness It.

GAVE LAND TO GRANDMOTHER

Counsel for Miss Wardlaw, the Suspect in the Case, Says She Is Innocent.

A will signed "O. B. Snead," but believed by the police to be another will of Mrs. Ocey Wardlaw Martin Snead, the young woman who was found dead in a bath tub in East Orange last week, and for whose death her aunt, Miss Virginia Wardlaw, is now held in the Essex County Jail, was discovered yesterday in the bundle of clothing and papers found in a Third Avenue drug store a day or so ago.

The will was found by detectives from Brooklyn Headquarters, and they set out immediately to find the men whose names were signed to the document as witnesses. These men, Charles Jacobs, Percy Kahn, and Charles D. Seiken, proved to be salesmen in a store at Twenty-third Street and Sixth Avenue. Jacobs described how he and his friends came to witness the will. It was dated March 11, 1909, and disposed of four acres of ground in Wilder Park, a suburb of Louisville, Ky., giving them to M. E. Wardlaw and making the beneficiary the executrix also.

"A plump, elderly woman came into the store," said Jacobs, "accompanied by a younger, good-looking woman. She said she didn't want to buy anything, but wanted us to witness a will for her. We said that we didn't know much about such things, but finally consented to act as witnesses.

"The elder woman said the will was made for the younger woman, and she said to her: 'This is all right, you know.' The younger woman nodded assent. The signature, 'O. B. Snead,' was already on the will, but as the younger woman said that the signature was really hers, we put our names on the paper."

"On the 11th day of March, 1909, in our presence, O. B. Snead subscribed the foregoing statement and at the same time declared it to be her last will and testament," is the way the document reads, but Jacobs said that he and his friends thought it sufficient that the young woman acknowledge her signature.

The police believe that the elder woman was Mrs. Martin, mother of Mrs. Snead, and that the younger woman was really Mrs. Ocey W. M. Snead. Jacobs will go to Newark to-day to view the body of Mrs. Snead, in the hope that he may identify her as the young woman who visited the store in which he is employed. Christian Martini, a photographer of 1,546 Flatbush Avenue, will visit the Newark Morgue also. Martini was found by the police yesterday. He visited the house in Flatbush where Mrs. Snead and the Wardlaws lived before moving to Orange, and there took ten flashlight pictures of a woman, sick in bed, with a child in her arms. He will compare his photographs with those of Mrs. Snead which are in the possession of the New Jersey authorities.

Martini told the police, they say:

> On Aug. 21 last a slender woman of middle age wearing a black dress and a heavy black veil called at my store and asked whether I could go out to her house with my camera and take a picture of a sick woman in bed there. When I said that I could she wrote on the back of one of my billheads, "No. 1,693 East Forty-eighth Street, 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning, Aug. 22."
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> The writing was in lead pencil and in an irregular hand. On the date she requested I went to the house in East Forty-eighth Street and was led to a room where a beautiful young woman was lying in bed with a child beside her. There were two old women in the room while I made the flashlight.
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> The woman in bed appeared to be very weak, and was propped up with difficulty. The woman, whom I believe to have been Miss Virginia Wardlaw, called at my store four days later. The young woman in bed paid me $2 for my trouble in coming to the house. Miss Wardlaw said she would show the proofs to the sick woman, and if they were satisfactory I would get a large order.
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> She said she wanted to send some of the pictures to the sick woman's husband in the South, and other relatives of the sick woman. She bought a small hand camera before leaving the store.
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> She came to my store again on Nov. 20 and wanted to know if I would buy some films from her. I refused to buy them, and have never seen her since that day. She did not, after taking the proofs, order any of the photographs.

Franklin W. Fort, son of Gov. Fort of New Jersey and counsel for Miss Virginia Wardlaw, issued a statement yesterday which friends of Miss Wardlaw and the other members of the Wardlaw family declared went far toward supporting the suicide theory in the death of Mrs. Snead, which Mr. Fort and members of the dead girl's family have advanced from the first. The statement dealt largely with the insurance policies which were in Mrs. Snead's name at the time of her death.

"Every last one of them is an endowment policy," said the lawyer. "Nearly all of them had run for half their terms already, having been taken out, for the most part, nine years ago. Not a single policy is of the kind termed usually a straight life insurance policy, which is payable only on the death of the person taking it out."

The policies on Mrs. Snead's life number seven—four in the New York Life Insurance Company and three in the Equitable Life Assurance Society—approximating $23,000 in value. For the most part the policies are of the twenty-year endowment kind, although there are some of the thirty-year type.

On four of the policies, three in the New York Life and one in the Equitable, $2,280 had been borrowed—$620 each on three of the policies and $420 on the other. It was the payment of more than a year and a half's interest on these loans, which was made on Nov. 23, said Mr. Fort, which accounted for the crippled financial condition of the Wardlaws. It took nearly every penny they were able to get together to make these payments, said the lawyer.

So the family was poverty stricken, said Mr. Fort, and therefore they dwelt in the unfurnished house in East Orange until they could afford to get their furniture out of storage.

"They had expected remittances from Christiansburg, Va.," said Mr. Fort. "A school there which they had conducted was closed last January because of its financial failure, but out of the wreckage there was still something coming to the Wardlaws. Affairs have not been settled yet, however, and the remittances which they expected failed them therefore.

"With this money they had expected to get the furniture which is stored in New York. Had it come to hand the house would not have been unfurnished and they would have had temporary relief at least from the poverty which oppressed them.

"Miss Wardlaw's sole crime has been the possession of an intense pride. She would rather have died than have had her relationship with the late John B. Wardlaw of Princeton become known generally. As a result of the disclosure she is prostrated to-day in jail, and I have been unable to talk with her. Even when she has had no cares on her mind, Miss Wardlaw has been most difficult to get information from.

"Pride of family and dread that their financial needs might get out has prevented her from speaking freely even to me, and in this matter of pride she differs no whit from the rest of her family. Theirs has been one long struggle, not only against poverty, but against that poverty becoming public knowledge. The lengths to which they went to keep this secret explains many strange things about their way of living.

"Now that the worst is known, I am confident that Miss Wardlaw will speak more freely. Within twenty-four hours I shall be able to explain why she could remain for a whole day in the house with the body of her dead niece before notifying any one. Within forty-eight hours I am confident that the prosecution will drop the case voluntarily."

Mr. Fort said that the policies on Mrs. Snead's life had been taken out at the instance of her aunt, her mother, and her grandmother, all of whom had been teachers, and all of whom had met with financial reverses while conducting schools. They were training Mrs. Snead to be a teacher also, said Mr. Fort, and meant to protect her old age from the troubles which had beset theirs.

Mrs. Snead will be buried to-day in Mount Hope Cemetery in the same grave where lies her little daughter, who died last year. The funeral services will be held at 12 o'clock in the undertaking rooms where the body now lies, and afterward it will be put on a train in Orange and carried to Manhattan and thence transported to a Putnam Division train of the Central lines at 155th Street.

This information was given out by Chief of Police Bell, but Mr. Fort said that the plans may not be adhered to strictly. He said that he wanted it kept as quiet as possible and intimated that every one not immediately connected with the dead woman or her family would be barred.

The expenses of the funeral will be paid out of the contingent fund of Prosecutor Mott's office in Newark. This was agreed upon yesterday by Mr. Mott and Chief Justice Gummere. Justice Gummere said afterward that if this were found to be illegal he and Mr. Mott would defray the expenses out of their own pockets.

SAYS MISSIONS ARE CRIMPS.

Accusation Against Church Institute and Christian Association.

At the close of a large mass meeting held under the auspices of the International Seamen's Union of America in Cooper Union last night, at which Samuel Gompers presided, Andrew Furuseth, President of the International Seamen's Union, named two prominent religious institutions of this city which work among seamen as two of the worst offenders in the practice known among sailors as "crimping" to be found in this country. "Crimping" is the decoying of sailors aboard a ship which needs hands. When Mr. Furuseth named the two institutions the audience that packed the hall rose and cheered his statement.

The Seamen's Church Institute, at 1 State Street, of which he said the Rev. Albert Mansfield is the Superintendent, and the Seamen's Christian Association, at 399 West Street, of which Stafford Wright is the head, were the institutions named by Mr. Furuseth.

He also said he wished to let it be known that there were good institutions of the religious kind caring for seamen in New York and that among them were two that all real sailors and firemen loved. These two institutions, he said afterward, were the Catholic Seamen's Mission, at 422 West Street, and the American Seamen's Friends Society Institute, a Protestant institution, at 507 West Street.

"Under the present laws," Mr. Furuseth said, in leading up to his remarks concerning the missions, "the owner can take anybody to sea and call that person a seaman. You all remember the Slocum disaster. There are institutions in this city for procuring men, and I am sorry to say that among them are some so-called religious institutions.

"These religious institutions were formed to help the seamen. There are among them in New York two that are a blessing to the port and a blessing to all seamen. Then there are two others that are just the opposite of these, and they are a curse to seamen and no self-respecting seaman ever goes into them. I am going to name them, too. One is at 1 State Street and Mr. Mansfield is at its head. The other is on West Street and is directed by Stafford Wright.

"Wright's and Mansfield's places are as clean cut 'crimps' as there exist in New York City to-day, and the money they have is ill-used to deprive the sailor of every vestige of manly feeling and independence that is left in him. Most of us believe in religion of some kind, but if we use this religion as a cloak to traffic in human flesh and blood, then we say it is time to change that cloak."

Mr. Furuseth then named a certain steamship company, the crews of whose vessels, he said, were supplied by the Seamen's Christian Association. He said he was one person who would not consider it safe to travel by that line.

Early in his speech Mr. Furuseth spoke of the trials of seamen.

"The United States abolished slavery," he said, "and freed the negro, but it made no change for the sailor. Great Britain long ago abolished serfdom in the West Indies, but she forgot her sailors.

"Under the law a British seaman who comes to New York and goes ashore can be followed, through the provisions of a treaty existing with Great Britain, arrested, imprisoned, and later sent back to the ship on which he no longer wishes to work, and America, the land that years ago abolished slavery, under that treaty becomes the slave catcher of Great Britain. Under like treaties the American sailor is treated similarly in foreign ports, and the European nations become the slave catchers of the United States."

The rest of Mr. Furuseth's speech was a plea for legislation "to remove the shackles from American seafaring men."

Mr. Gompers, who presided, arrived late, and explained his delay by saying that as soon as the Supreme Court in Washington had granted the application for a writ of certiorari in the contempt case he had hurried and caught the first train for New York.

Mr. Gompers said that the fight of the sailors was for the right "to own themselves" and the right to have "a personality and an individuality," and for the repeal of laws that make it lawful when his ship was safe in port to "hound" him when ashore and "to take him back to his ship, in irons if necessary, and make him work against his will." He closed with a plea for the organization of a great international seamen's union to make a world-wide fight for seamen's rights.

Another speaker was J. Havelock Wilson, a member of the House of Commons, and the President of the National Sailors' and Firemen's Union of Great Britain and Ireland. Mr. Wilson denounced the British Shipping Federation, Limited, which he said had imposed untold hardships on British sailors through an unjust physical test. He said that he had evidence to prove that in a certain European port the hands of sailors were branded with an indelible fluid to show that they had passed the test provided by the British Shipping Federation.

Victor Olander, leader of the Great Lakes Seamen, who have been on strike for seven months, was the only other speaker. He said the scheme of a physical test devised by the British Federation had been adopted by the Lake Carriers' Association. He added that the strike had been a hard one, and said that if the sailors lost the United States, which has already lost her ocean sailors, will also be without the services of her lake seamen. They will seek careers on land before a man among them would ever submit to the branding of his hand.

At the close of the meeting Mr. Gompers put a resolution to the meeting which was adopted. The resolution called for the repeal of laws and the abrogation of treaties whose effect the resolution said was to make sailors the property of the owners of vessels.

After the meeting an effort was made to get a statement from the Rev. Mr. Mansfield and Mr. Wright in reply to the charges made against them by Mr. Furuseth. Neither could be found.

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

A.M.		Loss.
9:05	In front of 738 6th Av.; Hastings Homes Co.	$25
9:55	1,004 Boone Av., the Bronx; George Wolberg	$10
10:00	442 East 18th St.; George Germe	Trifling
11:45	300 East 155th St.; John Hinzing	$50
P.M.		
12:10	206 Broome St.; Sarah Dartman	Trifling
1:00	171st St. and Harlem River; N. Y. C. Railroad	$10
2:30	84 Walker St.; N. Y. Button Co.	Trifling
2:40	Olmstead and Horton Avs.; C. Kiel	$50
2:45	1,206 Southern Boulevard; F. Olson	$75
3:45	49 West 127th St.; N. Malket	$10
3:50	314 Stanton St.; I. Goldberg	Trifling
5:15	166 Edgecombe Av.; unknown	Trifling
6:30	258 West 24th St.; L. Boschler	Trifling
6:40	134 East 117th St.; Mary Pedro	$500
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Witness at Her Trial Says She Told Him She'd Give $1,000 for Husband's Death.

TWO CORROBORATE HIM

And Assert That Mrs. Wilhelm Admitted She Put Ground Glass Into Her Husband's Tea.

Mrs. Mary J. Wilhelm was placed on trial for the murder of her husband, Frank Wilhelm, in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, before Judge Jay Ten Eyck and a jury, in Newark, N. J., yesterday. Before yesterday's session ended three witnesses asserted they had heard her offer $1,000 to William Levy if he would kill her husband. At the conclusion of the afternoon session, after her character had been pictured by witnesses in an unpleasant manner, she threw herself sobbing into her mother's arms, and a moment later was dragged screaming from the courtroom by officers, to be taken back to the county jail, where Nicholas J. Sica is being held, awaiting his trial on a joint indictment with Mrs. Wilhelm.

All spectators except relatives of Mrs. Wilhelm and those having business in the court were excluded. The only women present were Mrs. Harriet Stafford, Mrs. Wilhelm's aged mother, and her daughter, Miss Harriet Stafford.

Wilbur A. Mott, prosecutor of Essex County, in his opening argument said he would show that four years ago Mrs. Wilhelm offered William Levy $1,000 to induce him to kill her husband, and that she had repeated the offer two years later.

Levy was called to the stand and not only testified to this, but also alleged that Mrs. Wilhelm had told him in the presence of his wife that she had heard ground glass produced death and that she had put some in her husband's tea, but that he discovered it.

Levy, who is a painter, testified that he met Mrs. Wilhelm when he talked to her husband about a painting contract in connection with some of the numerous buildings Mr. Wilhelm was erecting or owned. They became friends and she went to Levy's house, where he introduced her to his wife. There she told him that he could make $1,000 by waylaying and killing her husband, the witness said. The husband would return from a building and loan association meeting night with $1,600.

"She said to me," Levy continued, "that her husband was no good and that she wanted to get rid of him, and that it would be an easy thing for any one to kill him that night.

"She said he would cross a vacant lot a short distance from the house, and if I would meet him and hit him over the head hard enough with a blackjack to kill him she would give me $1,000. I told her she ought not to talk that way and I would not have anything to do with her. My wife got angry then and ordered her to leave the house and never come there again."

Levy said that she renewed the offer on leaving the house, and that two months later she told him of the incident of the ground glass in the tea.

"I next heard from Mrs. Wilhelm two years later," Levy continued, "when she and her husband were living in Roselle, N. J. I received a postal card from her saying that she wanted me to go down there and figure on some painting work. I went, and took Charles Siegel with me as my foreman. There was no talk about work, but in the presence of Siegel she renewed the offer about Wilhelm. She said the old proposition of giving me $1,000 for killing him still held good, and that she would give me half the money he was insured for besides.

"She said that Wilhelm was so bad to her and gave her so little money that there was nothing she would not do to get rid of him. Siegel was astonished and told me to leave the house and go back to Newark.

"Once after that, a few days later, I met her again. She came to a factory in Academy Street, Newark, where Siegel and I were at work and renewed the proposal that I kill her husband. But before we had talked very long my wife came down the street and I told her to go away, and she went."

On cross-examination Levy said he had sued Mr. Wilhelm for $350, but said that he had not cherished any malice on that account. Levy admitted that he had been arrested in New York several years ago for bigamy and had served about twenty-six months of a five years' sentence. He said that he had not seen Mrs. Wilhelm since she visited him at the factory until he pointed her out in court at the request of Prosecutor Mott.

At one point in his testimony Mrs. Wilhelm became very much excited and called out:

"Why will they tell such stories? They are all lies! No, no, don't let them!"

William Siegel testified that he had seen Mrs. Wilhelm twice, once at Roselle and once at the Academy Street factory. He told of hearing her proposals to Levy that he kill her husband.

On cross-examination his testimony was not shaken.

"Did you not steal a ring from Mrs. Wilhelm?" he was asked.

"If Mrs. Wilhelm told you that she is a liar!" shouted Siegel.

Mrs. Levy was called to the stand and told of Mrs. Wilhelm's visits to her house. She told of talk about the ground glass, and corroborated Levy's statement that Mrs. Wilhelm had asked him to kill Wilhelm.

She was the last witness. After Judge Ten Eyck had withdrawn and the jury had been sent to a hotel for the night, Mrs. Wilhelm's mother and sister came forward. Neither made a move toward her until Mrs. Wilhelm clasped her mother in her arms and kissed her.

"Oh, mother, how can they tell such cruel stories about me!" she cried. "Every one of them is a lie. I am a good woman."

Court officers forced their way between them, and, taking Mrs. Wilhelm by the arms, carried her to the little passageway in the walls of the structure which leads to the room where the prison van is stabled during trial hours. She screamed at every step, and the sound of her voice could be heard until she was placed in the van.

Mrs. Wilhelm showed agitation throughout the day. When the circumstances of her husband's death were told, she cried.

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A report came from the Post Office Department yesterday that the Pennsylvania Railroad would discontinue its New York and St. Louis Fast Mail train after Tuesday's run. The announcement said that the letter mails for the Southwest and Far West would be sent over the New York Central lines on a train similar to that discontinued by the Pennsylvania.

The New York and St. Louis Fast Mail was inaugurated by the Pennsylvania on Nov. 15, its schedule calling for twenty-four hours between the two points, with connections for Kansas City and the Southwest, Cincinnati, Columbus, Indianapolis, and cities of the Far West. The train left New York at 2:50 P. M. to reach St. Louis at 1:37 P. M. the following day.

By the discontinuance of this fast train mail other than letters will reach St. Louis over the Pennsylvania five hours later, consequently making slower and later connections out of the Middle West centres. Letter facilities have been provided on the New York Central train, and mail of this character will be sorted and handled en route.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—Officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad explain that the New York and St. Louis Fast Mail train, which will be discontinued after to-morrow's run, is not the passenger special making the distance of 1,175 miles to St. Louis in twenty-four hours, but merely one of the fast trains taken off through a readjustment of the mail schedules.

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